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FOR NATIONAL DEFENSE—

The Atlantic Fleet Destroyer Force

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THE Destroyer Force, Atlantic Fleet, with headquarters at Newport, Rhode Island, is one of our major Atlantic Fleet type commands.



RADM. Hartman

Comprised of over two hundred destroyer type ships and their tenders, it is manned by over 57,000 officers and men. The ships assigned vary from the Saufley, now an escort destroyer, whose date of first commission was 29 August 1942, and who has a Japanese submarine to her credit, to the modern destroyer leaders of the Mitscher class now commissioning.

The Commander Destroyer Force Atlantic Fleet is RADM. C. C. Hartman, USN, with headquarters normally in the destroyer tender Yosemite at Newport. The Force is subdivided into three Flotillas. Destroyer Flotilla Two — commanded by RADM. D. C. Varian, USN, is based at Newport, as is Destroyer Flotilla Six, commanded by RADM. H. H. Henderson, USN. Destroyer Flotilla Four,

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Reduce AF Hump; Hike Re-up Pay, Secy. Urges

Air Force reenlistment rates must be increased and an ominous "officer hump" on the Regular promotion list eliminated to safeguard personnel program progress, Assistant Air Force Secretary H. Lee White said this week.

Questioned in a Pentagon interview only a little more than a month before he leaves office on 1 July, Mr. White emphasized that unless the re-up rate improves, the Air Force will find itself handicapped by an overage of "short term" airmen by 1956.

"That is why all of us in the Air Force are fighting so hard for a new reenlistment bonus plan," said Mr. White.

Praised by the Defense Department and the Appropriations Committee for Air Force manpower economies, Assistant Secretary White said that advances made during the past 15 months will be jeopardized unless more airmen are encouraged to remain in service.

He pointed out that Defense Department and Air Force planning for fiscal year 1955 is based on an Air Force re-enlistment rate of 33 per cent, roughly seven per cent above the present level.

"Even with the projected 33 per cent rate," said Mr. White, "it will mean that 41 per cent of our airmen will have less than two years' service in 1956."

Expressing himself as pleased with recent reports from commands which tell of increased morale throughout the Air Force as a result of personnel policies aimed at raising career attractiveness, Mr. White outlined what remains to be done to lick this problem.

He indicated high on the priority list action which would eliminate or at least reduce the severity of the officer promotion hump, said to be particularly acute

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WO BILL APPROVED, SENT TO WHITE HOUSE

The Warrant Officer Bill went to the White House late this week to be signed into law by the President.

Moving rapidly as it completed final Congressional hurdles, the measure was approved by the Senate (with Committee amendments) on 17 May. The amendments were accepted by the House on 19 May.

Amendments added to the House-passed measure by the Senate include a revision of the mandatory retirement age from 60 to 62. At the same time, the Senate approved a change which will enable male warrant officers to have their retirement deferred at age 62, if they have not completed 20 years of active service. They may be deferred until the completion of 20 years but no later than age 64.

Women warrant officers in the same situation may be deferred until the completion of 20 years' active service but no later than age 60.

DefDept. Cool to U.M.T.; Wants Power To Force Service In Reserve Units

Congressional leaders have been told the Pentagon sees no necessity to start any form of a Universal Military Training program at the present time, but will probably want teeth put into legislation requiring Reserve Forces service in order to strengthen National Defense.

That is the heart of current high-level thinking, as relayed to Congressional leaders.

The Capitol has been told that a final formulation of the Administration's position on action necessary to bolster Reserve Forces will not be made, however, until Defense Secretary Charles E. Wilson returns from the Far East and the matter has been considered by the National Security Council.

Although Defense authorities consequently are tight-lipped about present proposals on the complex Reserve and National Guard program, it can be stated that unless there is a last minute change of viewpoint, the Pentagon will show no enthusiasm for U.M.T. at this time.

In view of the fact that Chairman Dewey Short (R-Mo.) of the House Armed Services Committee, among other influential Capitol officials, has expressed public opposition to U.M.T. in conjunction with Selective Service, it appears certain the Administration will not seek such legislation.

However, the probability is that Congress will be asked during the closing weeks of the current session to take action which will permit the Services to build up Reserve Force units and maintain them in "readiness."

It is no secret that Defense leaders long have been concerned over the apathy of servicemen with a Reserve obligation to affiliate with Reserve units. This they are required to do by law, but the law spells out no punitive action for those who refuse to participate.

The reason that the Defense Department apparently does not need U.M.T. under present conditions and wants remedial legislation regarding assignment to Reserve units are directly related.

Military chiefs, faced with diminished

ARMY SECRETARY TO STAY

Army Secretary Robert T. Stevens, it can be reported on high authority, has no intention whatsoever to serve a "short tour" at the Pentagon.

Unlike other civilian officials of the Defense Department, he made no agreement to serve only a year, or 18 months, or any specified term when taking office.

Mr. Stevens has told high-ranking Army officers that he has never considered his coming to Washington as "temporary duty."

Notwithstanding many published rumors that he might resign after completion of the current Senate inquiry, Mr. Stevens will stay on the job, as long as he is supported by the President.

In this connection, Pentagon observers saw as particularly significant the fact that Mr. Stevens was invited to accompany the President to the Armed Forces celebration in North Carolina on 18 May. On this occasion, the President again emphasized his strong support of the civilian leaders at the Pentagon.

Mr. Stevens' attitude towards his Army service is said by some to be not unlike the advice he gave not long ago to a prospective Army private, G. David Schine, namely that there is a great opportunity for service to the nation in the Army and that citizens must face up to this responsibility.

"What goes for the private goes double for the Secretary," a top-ranking Army officer said this week. "That's why we are sure he won't resign."

Army Prepares Green Uniform Order, Commercial Purchase Early '55 Possibility

The Pentagon will announce shortly official adoption of the Army Green uniform (AG-44), following its enthusiastic approval by Congressional leaders in both the House and Senate.

Issuance of the implementing order, signed by Secretary Robert T. Stevens, and General Matthew B. Ridgway, Chief of Staff, may come before the end of the month.

Meantime, it was learned this week there is a possibility some Army personnel may be authorized to purchase and wear the new garb on a strictly optional basis beginning early in 1955.

Army authorities, working out details of the uniform plan, emphasize repeatedly that extended wear-out periods will be assured for all present uniform items to prevent hardship to individuals.

Under a tentative uniform timetable, still in preliminary discussion and sub-

ject to modification, the Army is considering permitting commercial purchase of the Army Green uniform early in 1955.

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House Group OKs Navy-USMC Integration; 700 Scheduled for Regular Commissions

Approximately 700 officers will be integrated into the Regular ranks of the Navy and Marine Corps during the coming fiscal year.

The disclosure was made by the House Armed Services Committee in a report which recommends extension until 1 July 1955 of the law, permitting the Navy and Marine Corps to transfer Reserves and temporary officers to their Regular ranks. Former authority to integrate officers in the two Services expired on 31 Dec.

"Enactment of the proposed legislation [H.R. 6725]," the Committee said, "will permit both Services to accomplish planned increases in Regular officer strength deemed necessary to supplement the source of officers now being obtained from the Naval Academy and officer candidate programs."

Of those to be integrated during the coming fiscal year, approximately 400 will be Naval officers and about 300 will be Marine Corps officers.

At the request of the Navy, the Committee amended the bill so as to give officers appointed permanently under its provisions their temporary grade. Thus, officers will be integrated in permanent grades and may also be temporarily appointed to a higher grade appropriate to the lineal position assigned.

"The Services interposed no objection to this amendment," the Committee report notes. "The Committee is well aware of the serious 'hump' which exists in the grades of lieutenant commander and major in the Navy and Marine Corps and felt that it would be highly undesirable to aggravate this existing hump by the addition of a single officer."

The measure would be effective only until 1 July 1955, the Committee said, "since permanent integration authority for all Services is now under study in the Bureau of the Budget."

5th Reunion For 25th Div.

The Fifth Annual Reunion of the 25th Infantry "Tropic Lightning" Division Association will be held 2-4 June at the Hotel Sherman in Chicago, Ill.

The program will be highlighted by a banquet and dance scheduled for the evening of 3 June. Further details and information can be obtained by writing the Association, P. O. Box 101, Arlington, Va.

PRESIDENT DRAWS LINE ON REVEALING DATA

Following is the text of the letter from President Eisenhower to Secretary of Defense Charles E. Wilson drawing the official line beyond which Service witnesses may not go in testifying before the McCarthy Subcommittee:

"Dear Mr. Secretary: It has long been recognized that to assist the Congress in achieving its legislative purposes every executive department or agency must, upon the request of a congressional committee, expeditiously furnish information relating to any matter within the jurisdiction of the committee with certain historical exceptions—some of which are pointed out in the attached memorandum from the Attorney General. This administration has been and will continue to be diligent in following this principle. However, it is essential to the successful working of our system that the persons entrusted with power in any one of the three great branches of Government shall not encroach upon the authority confided to the others. The ultimate responsibility for the conduct of the executive branch rests with the President.

"Within this constitutional framework each branch should cooperate fully with each other for the common good. However, throughout our history the President has withheld information whenever he found that what was sought was confidential or its disclosure would be incompatible with the public interest or jeopardize the safety of the Nation.

"Because it is essential to efficient and effective administration that employees of the executive branch be in a position to be completely candid in advising with each other on official matters, and because it is not in the public interest that any of their conversations or communications, or any documents or reproductions, concerning such advice be disclosed, you will instruct employees of your Department that in all of their appearances before the subcommittee of the Senate Committee on Government Operations regarding the inquiry now before it they are not to testify to any such conversations or communications or to produce any such documents or reproductions. This principle must be maintained regardless of who would be benefited by such disclosures.

"I direct this action so as to maintain the proper separation of powers between the executive and legislative branches of the Government in accordance with my responsibilities and duties under the Constitution. This separation is vital to preclude the exercise of arbitrary power by any branch of the Government.

"By this action I am not in any way restricting the testimony of such witnesses as to what occurred regarding any matters where the communication was directly between any of the principals in the controversy within the executive branch on the one hand and a member of the subcommittee or its staff on the other.

"Sincerely,

"DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER."

Enclosed with the letter was a memorandum from the Attorney General citing historical precedents dating back to President Washington wherein the Chief Executive had withheld information demanded by Congress.

Dr. Kiefer Will Retire

Dr. Paul J. Kiefer, senior professor of Mechanical Engineering will retire next month after having served 34 years at the U. S. Naval Postgraduate School, Monterey, Calif.

SWORD SALES SLIGHT—WILL GROW

A spot check of Navy outlet stores reveals a light sale of swords to officers of the Navy and the Coast Guard, with the first deadline rapidly approaching.

New Navy and Coast Guard uniform regulations prescribe that Regular officers will be required to wear swords with the full dress uniform. The regulation changes state that starting on 1 July, flag officers and captains must have the uniform addition. After that, at successive six month intervals, lower ranking officers will be obliged to have swords. Officers of lower ranks may purchase and wear swords in advance of the required date if they so choose. The sword is optional for Reserve and Temporary officers.

Mass sales of swords cannot be expected to be made until the requirement reaches the lower ranking officers. He said that the majority of those who were in the service before 1 Sept. 1941, still have swords which were part of the pre-WWII uniform.

Sword lengths will vary from 28 to 32 inches depending on the height of the individual officer. A Uniform Board member said that the proper length can be determined by an individual's standing at attention with the sword pointed upward along his arm. In this position, the tip of the sword should be level with the officer's cheek-bone, and not higher than eye level.

At the Navy Uniform Store in the Main Navy Building, Washington, D. C., the complete sword and accessories is \$49.50. The sword and scabbard is \$35.00, the sword knot is \$7.00, and the sword belt is \$7.50. Prices will vary at different sources, depending on the location and the quality of the steel.

A Navy Department official said that most swords will be made of English or German steel, since American manufacturers have not shown too much interest in their production.

Full dress uniforms are for use at formal official military ceremonies, not for social functions, dinners, or evening dress.

The Navy and Coast Guard sword and scabbard will be the same except for the letters "USN" or "USCG" on the hilt and in two places on the blade. A difference in swords' belt buckles will vary only in the service insignia.

Army to Reorganize Career Management

The Army shortly will announce a reorganization of its Career Management program for officers, which will be accentuated by increased stature for the combat arms.

Under high-level study is a proposal which would result in assignment of a two-star officer to head the Career Management Division in the Office of the Adjutant General, as is now the case, with three brigadier generals as his deputies.

The three one-star Career Management billets would be new. One would be for the combat arms, the other for administrative services and the third for technical services.

At the present time, many combat arms officers feel they are not adequately represented in the Pentagon because a colonel heads up each section for the combat arms in Career Management, while general officers in many cases oversee assignments for technical and administrative officers.

Career assignments for officers other than in the combat arms now are handled to a large degree outside of the Career Management Division, with consequent loss of personnel control by G-1.

Maj. Gen. James C. Fry, Career Management Division chief, is known to be in favor of strengthening Career Management and thereby raise the confidence of officers in its decisions, particularly as regards the combat arms.

On the other hand, the administrative and technical services have opposed a consolidation plan in the past and can be reasonably expected to renew their opposition, arguing that special needs require special handling of assignments.

General Matthew B. Ridgway, Chief of Staff, currently is giving careful study to all sides of the problem. It is conceivable that the proposal as described above will be modified to bring differing viewpoints together. However, there seems little doubt that some changes in Career Management organization will be made soon, and that these changes will raise the prestige of the combat arms in relation to the technical and administrative services.

New Top Level Get-together Scheduled for Quantico

Obviously pleased with last year's results—notwithstanding the unceremonious greeting accorded the President—the Defense Department has rescheduled a three-day conference of top civilian and military leaders at the Marine Corps Schools, Quantico, Va., for 17-20 June.

At last year's get-together, a mixup in the ETA resulted in the President's arrival at the Quantico gate ahead of his official greeters. An informed Pentagon official said confidently this week that if the President attends this year's Quantico reunion, the foul-up will not occur.

Called officially "The Secretaries Conference," the Quantico sessions will be similar to those held last July and will be conducted "to afford an informal meeting place for discussion of matters of common interest, and a general exchange of ideas among Defense leaders."

A Pentagon announcement added: "This meeting is not for the purpose of drafting formal programs or reaching decisions on defense problems."



GENERAL CHARLES L. BOLTE, left, Vice Chief of Staff of the Army, is honored at a formal review by the Navy and Air Force ROTC units at the Illinois Institute of Technology, Chicago. Dr. John T. Rettallata, president of the Institute, thanks the General for his dedication of a plaque and flagpole to alumni who served in the war.

New Building Features Adopted by U. S. Navy

The Navy has decided, since it cannot afford to rebuild its whole shore establishment in the event of an atomic attack, to incorporate basic engineering and architectural features into all of its new permanent construction.

This step is deemed necessary, RAdm. W. G. Schindler, USN, Assistant Chief of Operations (Readiness), said this week in a speech before the Armed Forces Chemical Association at the Shoreham Hotel, Washington, D. C., so that later conversion of all or parts of buildings can be converted into shelter areas with a minimum expenditure of time, effort, and material.

Admiral Schindler stated that a minimum of five per cent of the total construction cost is considered sufficient for this purpose.

As an example of the new type of construction, he pointed to the protective chemistry laboratory now under construction at the Naval Research Laboratory in Washington, D. C.

The new building is windowless, completely air-conditioned, with provision for the installation of BW and CW filters when available, and is constructed of reinforced concrete as opposed to low sheer material such as concrete blocks or brick, he said. In addition, he continued, the washroom and toilet facilities are arranged so that they can be easily converted into decontamination stations. Provision is also made for air locks, personnel shelters and emergency stations.

He said that planning is underway for the construction of a new wing on the San Diego Naval Hospital which will incorporate the new construction principles.

Admiral Schindler noted that the above principle "is not without opposition" since it is in direct opposition to some new ideas in American architecture.

PRESENT RETIRED LIST UNAFFECTED

Service personnel now on retired lists or retired before enactment of the plan recommended by the Kaplan Committee (reported in last week's JOURNAL) would not benefit by any of the proposals. They would continue to be paid as at present.

In fact, even those retired after implementation of the Kaplan Report proposals would not benefit except to the extent of increased coverage under Social Security.

The proposed Service Compensation benefit, whereby survivors of Service personnel receive an income amounting to 80 per cent of the first \$100 of their gross pay plus 20 per cent of the remainder, applies only to those who die on the active list. Once they are retired they no longer are entitled to such benefits. This was done on the theory that retired personnel are afforded coverage under the Contingency Options Act whereby they may elect to forfeit part of their pay to provide an annuity for their survivors.

So far as full coverage under the retirement portion of Social Security is concerned, there is also a delay. First, military personnel, the same as all other, must reach the age of 65 to be entitled to Social Security retirement payments. Secondly, they must have been covered by Social Security deduction for at least 10 years, or a minimum of half the number of quarters that have expired since 1950. Thus, if the bill should be enacted early in 1955 no one could draw full retirement benefits under Social Security until they have been subject to Social Security deductions up to 1959. However, a service man retired, say, in 1957 could go into some civilian employment covered by Social Security until 1959 and thus earn entitlement to retirement benefits. This restriction would not curtail the present limited coverage of military personnel whereby they are given a coverage based on \$160 a month.

As to the survivor benefit phase of Social Security, however, the proposed law waives the existing requirement of 18 months coverage, so that service personnel would become entitled to Social Security survivor benefits the first day coverage goes into effect.

Giant "Skyhook" Balloon Sent Aloft by U. S. Navy

The largest plastic "Skyhook" balloon ever built has been successfully launched by General Mills engineers for the Office of Naval Research at the University of Minnesota Airport.

The balloon carried 50 pounds of Navy instruments designed to gather new information on cosmic rays.

The "Skyhook" measures 200 feet in diameter fully inflated and has a volume of 3,200,000 cubic feet. Deflated, it has a length of 282 feet and a surface area of three acres. It is made up of 72 segments, or gages, of polyethylene film only 12 ten-thousandths of an inch thick, half the thickness of human hair. The total length

Family Housing Plan Hits Temporary Snag; Morale "Adversely Affected" by Shortage

Defense Department plans to construct thousands of new family housing units for Service personnel ran into a temporary roadblock this week on Capitol Hill.

The House Armed Services Committee indicated that the Department's last-minute request for a \$350,000,000 housing program (THE JOURNAL, 15 May) may have arrived too late to be included in the fiscal '55 public works bill.

A final decision was pending as THE JOURNAL went to press.

Two alternatives were under consideration by the Committee. One would delay the final report on the public works measure until an item for item justification of the housing plan could be presented. The other would divorce the housing plan from the works bill and present it as a separate measure after extensive hearings.

Chairman Dewey Short (R-Mo.) said, despite the "pressing need" for additional Service housing, it might jeopardize the bill's chances if it were presented to the floor without being fully explored.

Assistant Secretary of Defense Franklin G. Fleet told the Committee that the Department had not had time to work up a detailed presentation of the housing program. Therefore, he said, it was decided to ask for an initial increment

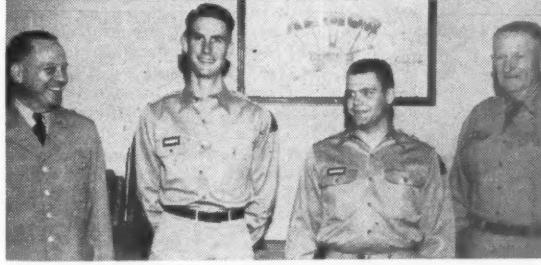
(25,000 units to cost \$350 million) "on a lump sum basis and to subsequently make the proper determinations."

He said the Department has concluded there is a deficit of "at least" 150,000 family housing units in the four services and the shortage "has adversely affected the morale and the rate of re-enlistment of the officers and men of the Armed Services."

There is an "immediate and urgent" need for the first 25,000 units, the Assistant Secretary said.

These would include about 3,000 units to be constructed at AC&W, NIKE, ASWAP and fighter interceptor stations. Ten thousand would go to large SAC bases which have not been designated permanent; about 2,000 would be built at permanent installations where Wherry projects are not feasible and the remaining 5,000 would replace mobilization type barracks which have been converted to family housing.

Capitol observers said chances are the housing plan will be revamped into a separate bill. The Armed Services Committee is known to be under pressure to present the public works measure to the House by the middle of next week and it is doubtful that Committee members will look favorably on any further delay.



BRIG. GEN. J. R. BEISHLINE, Assistant Di. v. Comdr., 3d Armored Division, left, and Col. Henry C. Newton, Acting Assistant Commandant, The Armored School, right, shown with the two top graduates from Armor Officers Basic Class Number 6, 2d Lt. William W. Jenney, Jr., top honors, second from left, and 2d Lt. Harold F. Claus, Jr., second highest.

Navy Chaplain Meehan Observes Silver Jubilee

Chaplain Daniel F. Meehan, USN, Senior Chaplain of the Marine Corps Schools, Quantico, Va., will observe the 25th anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood on 25 May.

A Solemn Mass of Thanksgiving will be held in the Chapel of the U. S. Naval Communication Station, Nebraska and Massachusetts Avenues, Washington, D. C., at 11 a.m. Catholic Chaplains on duty on the Atlantic Coast as well as attached to ships of the Atlantic Fleet have been invited to attend.

The officers of the Mass will be Chaplain Dennis R. Kerrigan, Senior Chaplain at the MCAS, Cherry Point, N. C., who will serve as Deacon, and Chaplain Thomas F. Mullins, Chaplain of the USS Des Moines who will be the Subdeacon.

The sermon on the occasion will be delivered by the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Thomas J. McCarthy, Vice Chancellor of the Military Ordinate, New York City.

Following the ceremony, the jubilarian

Gen. March Lauds Stevens As "Great" Secretary

General Peyton C. March, USA-Ret., Army Chief of Staff in World War I, issued a statement this week praising Robert T. Stevens as "one of the greatest Secretaries the Army has ever had."

In a statement volunteered to the New York *Herald-Tribune*, General March said that Secretary Stevens has "displayed a soldier's dedication and a soldier's stamina."

Text of the statement follows:

"May an old soldier be heard for a moment? I have been following closely the Army-McCarthy hearings, not only because my own 70 years of association with the Army invest them with special interest for me, but because they constitute a public debate on some of the fundamental political and moral principles which are the foundations of our Government."

"What all may result from them in the end, I cannot predict, but one of their important results so far has been the focusing of public attention upon the person of Robert T. Stevens as Secretary of the Army."

"I want to stand and be counted as one who greatly admires Mr. Stevens both as a man and as a public official. I consider him one of the greatest Secretaries the Army has ever had."

"It became necessary to bring out into the open a situation which was seriously impairing Army morale and sapping out defensive strength during one of the most critical periods in our history. Utterly disregarding his own convenience and exposing himself to dastardly attack, Mr. Stevens shouldered his responsibility with a soldier's courage, and in the grueling battle then joined, he has displayed a soldier's dedication and a soldier's stamina."

"I honor him for the stand he has taken and for the convictions upon which it is based. I honor him for adhering to the highest standards of public service throughout his administration of the office of Secretary of the Army. I think the National should be grateful that a man of his character, ability and courage occupies that vital office today."

will be the guest of honor at a luncheon to be tendered to him by his fellow Chaplains at the Mayflower Hotel, Washington, D. C.

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Maj. Gen. Lee, USAF, Would Avoid "Haggling Terms," But Stresses Career "Practical Aspects"

Emphasizing that military career service "cannot wisely be thought in the cold haggling terms of 'What do I get out of it?'" Maj. Gen. Morris J. Lee declared 14 May, that "neither can we wisely overlook some of the hard, practical aspects of the matter."

He told the annual banquet of the South Plains Press Association at Reese AFB, Tex., that "members of the Service are just like other Americans in that they share the common problem of caring for their families and educating their children."

He pointed out that this leads men in Service to compare military pay with civilian wage scales.

"Today this comparison is resulting in a gradual reduction in Service attractiveness," said General Lee.

He stressed the need for close understanding between civilians and military men. "The stature of our military Services can be enhanced through a thor-

ough understanding by each citizen of the role that our defense forces play in the world today," said General Lee.

Pointing out the savings possible by boosting reenlistments, General Lee said that if 20,000 additional airmen could be encouraged to remain in uniform, above current estimates, the Government would save more than \$100 million annually "to say nothing of the increased efficiency in the Air Force that would result."

He added: "When an experienced individual leaves the Service, we lose much of our investment in his training and his loss forces us to spend at least as much again to train a replacement. Thus, our national economy is proportionately weakened, or the money that we might have used to buy another intercontinental bomber, radar, tank or submarine, has to go instead to training new recruits to replace those who took off the uniform and went home."

of the seams is nearly four miles.

Inflated with helium gas from a Navy high pressure gas trailer, it soared to an altitude above 100,000 feet. It was tracked by General Mills light aircraft in constant contact with ground crews.

The launching of a similar balloon, slightly smaller, failed in September 1952 because of wind and other adverse conditions.

34th Inf. Div. Reunion

The seventh annual reunion of the 34th Infantry Division will be held 10-12 Sept. at Des Moines, Iowa.

Further information about the conference can be obtained from Secretary, 34th Inf. Div. Association, Argonne Armory, Des Moines.

UNITED STATES ARMY

Army Names Choices For Air War College And Air Univ. Field Officers Course

The Army has released the names of 10 colonels selected to attend the 1954-55 course at the Air War College, Maxwell AFB, Colo., and three lieutenant colonels and five majors who will attend the Field Officers course of the Air University there.

The selections follow:

Air War College

Angster, R. C., SigC	Sawyer, T. I., Arty
Boyd, L. L., AGC	Van Volkenburgh,
Connor, J. P., Inf	Robert H., Arty

Lambert, H. F., Inf	Wallace, Lee, Inf
McCrea, W. S., Inf	Williams, E. W., Armor
Quinlan, F. C., TC	

Field Officers Course

Carleton, Maj. L. A.	Pople, Lt Col W. H.
Inf	OrdnC
Franklin, Lt Col J. B.	Romans, Maj. W. L.
TC	Arty
Hayward, Maj. H. I.	Torgersen, Maj. M. S.
Inf	Arty
Olson, Maj. A. A.	Van Hoy, Lt Col J. W.
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COL. EDWIN L. JOHNSON, left, receives the stars of a brigadier general from Lt. Gen. Williard G. Wyman, 6th Army Commander. General Johnson, Deputy Chief of Staff 6th Army, will soon leave for the Far East.

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FT. BLISS, TEX. — Celebrating new stars, three Ft. Bliss generals, left to right, Brig. Gen. Earl W. Heathcote, Maj. Gen. William P. Ennis, Jr., and Maj. Gen. William E. Waters, cut a cake baked in honor of their promotions. Watching are their wives, left to right, Mrs. Heathcote, Mrs. Ennis, and Mrs. Waters. Also an interested spectator is M/Sgt. Earl H. Crowell of the Consolidated Mess, AA & GM Branch, The Artillery School, extreme left, who baked the elaborately-decorated cake for the informal reception following the pinning on of the stars. General Waters is commanding general of the 1st Guided Missile Brigade; General Ennis is director of the Office of Special Weapons Development, Army Field Forces; and General Heathcote is Ft. Bliss Chief of Staff.

Gen. Stephen At Benning

A 13-gun salute officially welcomed Maj. Gen. R. W. Stephens, commander of the 47th Infantry Division, on 14 May when he arrived at Ft. Benning, Ga., the new home station for his unit.

Major Gen. G. S. Meloy, Jr., Infantry Center commander, inspected honor guard troops with the 47th Division commander.

General Stephens commands troops of the 47th Infantry (Viking) Division which is being transferred to Ft. Benning from Camp Rucker, Ala. The movement of troops is expected to be completed by the end of June.

General Stephens assumed command of the 47th Division and Camp Rucker, Ala. in January after serving as commander of the Third Armored Division at Ft. Knox, Ky., and of Headquarters and Service Command, General Headquarters, Far East Command.

Brig. Gen. Colbern Takes First Army Deputy Post

The First Army Commander, Lt. Gen. Withers A. Burress, has announced assignment of Brig. Gen. William H. Colbern as Deputy Commander.

General Colbern arrived from Ft. Lewis, Wash., to succeed Maj. Gen. Edmund B. Sabre who has been assigned to the U.S. Army Forces, Far East.

In February 1952 the General became Artillery commander of the IX Corps in Korea. Upon returning to the United States in July 1953, he assumed command of Ft. Lewis, Wash.

Maj. Schintz to Eng. Cen.

Maj. Thomas A. Schintz has replaced Maj. R. C. Newell as Provost Marshall of the Engineer Center, Ft. Belvoir, Va. Major Schintz' last assignment was as G-3 for the 1st Military Police Training Regiment at Camp Gordon, Ga.

Army Sets New EM Promotion Policy To Permit Advancement While In School

Thousands of Army soldiers attending school will find it easier to win promotion up to the grade of sergeant as a result of a new policy disclosed at the Pentagon this week.

The action removes the requirement of demonstrated satisfactory performance in higher grade.

The Army said enlisted personnel who attend leadership and specialist schools now can be promoted provided they satisfy established requirements.

This action was taken so that "deserving individuals will not suffer any delay in promotion because of necessary protracted attendance at Army schools, as well as to increase desire on the part of top quality enlisted personnel to attend those schools," the Army said.

Enlisted student personnel could not qualify for promotion under previous policy, because actual performance of duty in a position of the next higher grade for a designated period was required in addition to satisfying other criteria.

Now, within monthly quotas established by the Department of the Army, those who successfully complete enlisted courses at Army schools, including the Ranger Course at The Infantry School, Ft. Ben-

ning, Ga., and leadership courses at training installations, may be promoted by the commandant or commander concerned. In some instances, where courses are of extended duration, students who demonstrate professional ability may be promoted during the course, and, if further qualified, be promoted again upon graduation.

Included in the new policy is a provision whereby those selected to attend Officer Candidate School will be promoted to the temporary grade of Sergeant upon entrance to the school, if not already serving in that or a higher grade.

ARMY NEEDS SAILORS

The Army needs sailors—warrant officers who are qualified to be a Master or Mate or Marine Engineer aboard Transportation Corps vessels.

Circular 46 says that applications may be submitted by qualified personnel for appointment as Reserve Warrant Officer, MOS 0820 (Master or Mate) and MOS 0823 (Marine Engineer) with concurrent call to active duty.

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MAJ. GEN. THOMAS S. TIMBERMAN, (right) U. S. Commander, Berlin, congratulates Brig. Gen. Francis T. Pachler, newly appointed Commanding General, Berlin Command, on his promotion and assignment. General Pachler replaced Brig. Gen. Charles F. Craig after his departure for assignment in the Far East.

Army Seeks 'Copter Pilots

Procedures for the selection of volunteers for training at Ft. Sill, Okla., as transport helicopter pilots are outlined in newly issued Circular 42.

Graduates of the course will be appointed warrant officers, junior grade, with concurrent call to extended active duty in MOS 1066, Helicopter Pilot.

Volunteers must have completed basic training, have an Aptitude Area I, II, and VIII score of at least 110, and must accept appointment as a Reserve Warrant Officer of the Army for an indefinite period and serve as a warrant officer on extended active duty for a term of 36 months following successful completion of the course.

Volunteers must also be over 20½ and under 30 years of age, stand at least 64 inches but not more than 72 inches, and not weigh more than 180 pounds. They must also meet the Class I Medical Standards for flying.

5th Reunion for 63d

The fifth annual reunion of the 63d Division Association will be held at the Hotel New Yorker in New York City on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, 23, 24 and 25 July.

The program will include a "mixer" Friday evening, sightseeing about Manhattan, shopping tours and ball games and a cocktail hour followed by a dinner-dance Saturday evening. There will be business sessions Saturday and Sunday mornings with memorial services concluding the reunion Sunday at noon.

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Army Prepares Green Uniform Order, Officers May Buy in '55

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possibly with the first of the year. Heretofore, it had been thought that such purchases would not be authorized until the Spring or Fall of 1955.

However, the Army Green could not be worn in troop formations for several years beyond 1 Jan. 1955. For such assignment, the OD-33 will be required until an expiration date which will be announced prior to 1 Nov. 1955 and which will extend considerably beyond that date.

It is the present intention of the Army to begin issuing the Army Green uniform to troops about 1 Nov. 1955, on the basis

of one AG-44 uniform and one OD-33.

In addition to use in troop formations, the OD-33 will, of course, be authorized for general duty wear until the post-November 1955 wear-out date is set.

This means, Army officials say, that no matter whether an individual purchases in the next year an Army Green or OD uniform, he will find plenty of use for it.

As for pinks and greens, all officers will be required to have this uniform at least until 1 Nov. 1955, and subsequently must possess either pinks and greens or dress blues.

At a date yet to be determined, but

certainly not before 1958 or 1959, officers of the active Army will be required to have a dress blue uniform.

As for the overcoat, Army experts say that at present no consideration is being given to any change.

Still not officially determined, according to authoritative word, is whether or not the Army Green uniform will be worn with brown or black shoes.

Previous indications have been that the black shoe would be adopted, mainly in the interest of uniformity of color.

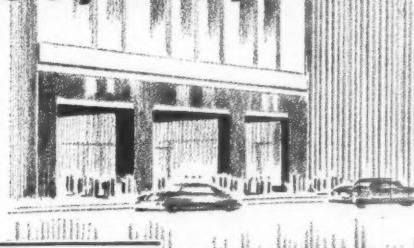
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New Retirement Policy Set by Navy

The Secretary of the Navy issued an instruction this week which outlines a retirement policy for Regular officers of the Navy and the Marine Corps.

The action was necessary in light of the recent passage of the Arends bill, which repealed the Van Zant Rider which restricted voluntary retirements of all officers except those who had served in both World Wars or whose retirements were specifically authorized by the Navy Secretary.

Under the new policy, the Navy normally will approve voluntary retirement requests from Navy and Marine Corps officers with over 30 years' service.

Requests for voluntary retirement from officers with over 20 years and less than

30 years' service will be considered on the basis of the over-all needs of the service and the merits of the individual case, the instruction states.

The instruction also says that requests for retirement should be addressed to the Secretary of the Navy through the chain of command and the Chief of Naval Personnel or the Commandant of the Marine Corps, as applicable.

The final approval of a request for retirement rests with the Navy Secretary.

Navy Secretary Thomas said that in order to allow sufficient time for processing, requests for voluntary retirement, if possible, should be submitted at least three months before the desired date of retirement.

Navy Seeks More Pilots, USN, USMC EM Eligible

Applications for flight training are being sought by the Navy from enlisted Navy or Marine personnel.

After successfully completing the course, which will be given at the Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Fla., candidates will be commissioned ensign or second lieutenant in the Naval or Marine Reserve.

Applications will be accepted from both Regulars and Reserves now serving on active duty, the Navy said.

Applicants must be at least 18 and not over 24 and must have completed two years of college or the service accepted equivalent.

Also eligible are those who have completed one year of college, or have the accepted service equivalent, and have attained Basic Battery scores of 120 for GTC plus Ari and 58 Mech. Marine personnel must have scores of 120 GTC and Pa 116.

AFFIRM TEMP. APPTS.

The House Armed Services Committee has favorably reported the bill to affirm all temporary appointments made by the Navy to the ranks of lieutenant and lieutenant commander since the start of the Korean War.

Approximately 20,000 active duty officers will be affected by the bill. Included in the group are 2,000 who have twice failed to be selected for promotion and who will be considered twice "passed over" if they elect discharge with severance pay under the terms of the new legislation.

The measure provides that promotions for the other 18,000 will "be considered to have been made under the Officer Personnel Act of 1947." If the measure is enacted, dates of rank of these officers will be adjusted accordingly.

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QUANTICO, VA.—Maj. Gen. Edwin A. Pollock, USMC (left), accepts the initial recording of a newly composed march, "The Division Commander" from its composer, T/Sgt. William C. Jolly. Sergeant Jolly, arranger for the Quantico Marching Band, finished second in a national Armed Forces march contest with his score. The march was dedicated to General Pollock, the former division commander of the First Marine Division.

Col. Drake New CofS; Col. Straub To Retire

Col. Paul Drake, USMC, has been named Chief of Staff, MCB, Camp Lejeune, N. C., relieving Col. Robert J. Straub, USMC, who will retire on 1 June.

Colonel Drake reported to Camp Lejeune last August and assumed duties as Assistant Chief of Staff, G-1. Before that he was Director, 9th Marine Corps Reserve and Recruitment District, Chicago, Ill.

During the Korean War, he was representative of the Commanding General, FMF, Far East Command. For outstanding service in that capacity, he was awarded the Legion of Merit by the U. S. Army and also won the Navy Commendation Medal.

Colonel Straub, who was awarded the Legion of Merit twice for WWII service with the 3d Marine Brigade, Tactical Group No. 1, and the 2d Marine Division, assumed chief of staff duties last September, after serving as Commanding Officer, Headquarters and Service Battalion, MCB, Camp Lejeune, since August 1952.

A native of Denver, Colo., Col. Straub expects to return there after his retirement.

Maj. Harley L. Grant, USMC, former assistant G-1, has assumed the duties as Assistant Chief of Staff, G-1, as a relief for Colonel Drake.

Nine Marines Declared Dead

Nine Marines, who were listed as missing in action in Korea, have now been officially declared dead.

This raises the total number of Marine deaths in Korea to approximately 4,210.

As of 30 April, 45 Marines still remained in a missing in action status.

Marine Corps Retires 48 Senior Non-Coms

The Marine Corps has announced the retirement of 48 Staff NCO's.

Placed on the temporary disability retired list were M/Sgts. Waymon Keenum, Sylvester S. Mann, and Joseph M. Romanelli; T/Sgts. John R. Cassady, Malcolm E. Johnson, John A. Rotchford, Ronald H. Sheaffer, Grover W. Sims, Donald S. Sutton, and Richard B. Wright; and S/Sgts. Johnny Cota, Samuel A. Delp, Richard A. Dubiskas, Woodward Foxworth, Donald N. Lewis, Charles R. Murphy, George A. Powell, sr., and Anthony Yaquinto.

M/Sgt. Joseph O. Coveney and S/Sgt. Joseph F. Retz were placed on the permanent disability retired list.

M/Sgt. Clifford H. Brady was transferred from the temporary disability retired list to the permanent disability retired list.

T/Sgt. Julius A. Watts was placed on the Fleet Marine Corps reserve list along with M/Sgts.:

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Foerster, Alvin J	Stothers, James J
Haver, Sheridan F	
James, Charles E	

Col. Putnam To Headquarters

Col. Paul A. Putnam, USMC, has been ordered to Headquarters Marine Corps, Washington, D. C., where he will serve on the Naval Examining Board.

He was relieved as Chief of Staff, Aircraft, FMF, Pacific, by Col. Allen C. Koonce, USMC, who was former assistant Chief of Staff, G-4, at the El Toro Air Station, Santa Ana, Cal.

Colonel Putnam has served at El Toro since October 1951. Before that he was on the Joint Staff and NATO, Washington, D. C.

Praise for Marine 'Copters

Marine Helicopter Transport Squadron 362, commanded by Maj. Gerard M. Schuchter, USMC, has been commended by Admiral Felix B. Stump, USN, Commander-in-Chief of the Pacific Fleet in its "outstanding safety record" during the 116 days of operation with the fleet in the Pacific area.

With 12 HRS Sikorsky helicopters based on the carrier USS Bairoko, the squadron built up a record of 2683 missions, 2453 flight hours, 3301 shipboard landings, 8030 beach landings, 17,956 passengers carried, 134,875 pounds of cargo carried and only one minor accident.

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Admiral Wright Confers With Fleet Commanders

Admiral Jerauld Wright, USN, newly-appointed Commander in Chief of the Atlantic Fleet, conferred with the senior commanders of the Fleet for the first time at Newport, R. I., 18-19 May.

The two-day conference opened on board the 45,000-ton battleship USS New Jersey, at anchor off the Newport Naval Base. The second day's session was held at the Naval War College, Newport. The various flag officers and their chiefs of staff flew to Newport from such diverse bases as Guantanamo Bay, Cuba; Charleston, S. C.; Norfolk, Va., and New London, Conn.

Purpose of the meeting was to discuss problems affecting the Force and Type commands of the Fleet, future plans and operations, training and new weapons. Participating flag and general officers included the "type" commanders of the Atlantic Fleet Amphibious, Air, Battleship-Cruiser, Destroyer, Submarine, Mine and Service forces; Commander Second Fleet and the commanding general of the Fleet Marine Force; and the commanders of the Operational Development Force, Hunter-Killer Force, and the Training Command.

VAdm. James L. Holloway, Jr., Chief of Naval Personnel, will address Wednesday's session at the War College, on the officer and enlisted personnel situation.

Among the senior officers attending the conference were:

Admiral Jerauld Wright — Commander in Chief U. S. Atlantic Fleet.

VAdm. L. T. DuBose — Commander Eastern Sea Frontier.

VAdm. J. L. Holloway, Jr. — Chief of Naval Personnel.

VAdm. F. G. Fahrion — Commander Amphibious Force, U. S. Atlantic Fleet.

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VAdm. F. W. McMahon — Commander Air Force, U. S. Atlantic Fleet.

RAdm. E. P. Forrestel — Commander Service Force, U. S. Atlantic Fleet.

RAdm. C. C. Hartman — Commander Destroyer Force, U. S. Atlantic Fleet.

RAdm. S. H. Ingersoll — Chief of Staff, Commander in Chief U. S. Atlantic Fleet.

RAdm. G. C. Crawford — Commander Submarine Force, U. S. Atlantic Fleet.

RAdm. R. E. Libby — Commander Battle-Cruiser Force, U. S. Atlantic Fleet.

RAdm. W. E. Moore — Commander Training Command, U. S. Atlantic Fleet.

RAdm. H. T. Baker — Commander Operational Development Force, U. S. Atlantic Fleet.

Maj. Gen. C. C. Jerome — Commanding General Aircraft Fleet Marine Force, U. S. Atlantic Fleet.

RAdm. Harry Sanders — Commander Mine Force, U. S. Atlantic Fleet.

RAdm. W. M. Beakley — Commander Hunter-Killer Force, U. S. Atlantic Fleet.

RAdm. E. B. Taylor — Commander Naval Base, Guantanamo Bay, Cuba.

Capt. Smellow to Retire

Capt. Morris Smellow, SC, USN, Supply Officer, Philadelphia Naval Shipyard, is expected to retire as a rear admiral on 30 June after completing 35 years service.

He was graduated from the U. S. Naval Academy in 1923. After serving as a Line officer for 10 years, Captain Smellow transferred to the Supply Corps.

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The display, which will continue through 31 Oct., includes a small scale model of the Navy's newest aircraft carrier, the Forrestal. The exhibit also includes other ship models and miniature aircraft, relics, manuscripts, photographs, prints and paintings.

The display is designed to show how the integration of air and sea power turned the tide of war in the Pacific, and how hunter-killer tactics using the same

combination of carrier air and sea power defeated enemy submarines in the Atlantic.

USNA Midshipmen Summary

The Naval Academy this week released a tentative breakdown of assignments of its 855 graduating midshipmen in June.

Four of the graduates will not be commissioned because of medical reasons. Two foreign students will enter the Ecuador Navy, one the Peruvian Navy, and another the Philippine Navy.

The Air Force will receive 222 graduates, and 64 graduating students will enter the Marine Corps. A majority of the graduates, 519, will become line officers in the Navy, and 42 will enter the Supply Corps of the Navy.

HEADS HOME

Admiral Harry W. Hill, USN-Ret., Governor, U. S. Naval Home, Philadelphia, Pa., has returned to inactive duty. He served as Superintendent, U. S. Naval Academy, and Commandant, Severn River Naval Command, from April 1950 until his retirement in 1952.

VAdm. J. Cary Jones, USN-Ret., former Naval Inspector General, will succeed Admiral Hill as Governor of the Naval Home.

Admiral Hill will reside at 201 Prince George Street, Annapolis, Md.

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U. S. AIR FORCE

AF Personnel Expert Promises Elimination Of 'Unusual Actions' During Fiscal '55

The Senate Appropriations Committee, hearing testimony on the fiscal '55 defense budget, has been told that the Air Force military personnel program "virtually eliminates abnormal actions," such as force-outs and separation speed-ups which were an important part of the FY '54 program.

Brig. Gen. William S. Stone, USAF, Deputy Director of Personnel Planning, said that the program designed for the year beginning 1 July "will foster better morale, increased personnel stability and continued good management."

He told the Committee, as had been reported to the House, that the Air Force intends to begin FY '55 with 955,000 officers and airmen, maintain an average strength of 960,000 and a fiscal year-end strength of 970,000.

The end-strength, said General Stone, would include 134,400 officers and warrant officers, 7200 student officers in fly-

ing training, and 828,400 airmen including aviation cadets.

This strength, he said, will provide for 120 wings by the end of FY '55.

General Stone said the Air Force must achieve a reenlistment rate of 33% during the year to make its program work, and added that monthly enlistments will average 11,050 non-prior service male personnel, 200 WAFS, 633 aviation cadets and 1500 persons with prior service.

General Stone said the Air Force during FY '55 will procure 1050 female Medical Service officers and 3234 doctors, dentists and MSC officers from civilian sources.

Only 250 other officers are scheduled for call to active duty from the Reserve, including Chaplains and Judge Advocates.

General Stone related that 240 airmen will be appointed to warrant officer rank.

AF Researchers Win Awards

Sloan Fellowships for study in the Executive Development Program at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology have been awarded to two Air Force civilian employees, Edward J. Ward of the Wright Air Development Center, Dayton, O., and Reuben O. Schlegelmilch of Rome Air Development Center, Rome, N. Y.

This is the first time since the scholarship program was set up in 1936 by the Alfred P. Sloan Foundation, Inc., that Air Force members have been chosen for the award. Both men will receive a year's study beginning 19 June at MIT's School of Industrial Management.

Mr. Ward is chief of the fatigue and creep rupture section, Materials Labora-

tory, and Mr. Schlegelmilch is chief of the electronics warfare and techniques division at Rome ADC. During WW II, Mr. Ward served in the Air Force as an aircraft maintenance officer in this country and Europe. Mr. Schlegelmilch was in the Army Signal Corps from 1942 to 1946.

New PIO At Langley

Capt. Gregory H. Oldenburgh, former aide-de-camp to Maj. Gen. David W. Hutchison, USAF, has assumed duties of Public Information Officer of Langley AFB, Va. He succeeded Capt. Joe B. Hughes, who has held the position for the past year.

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Team members representing the Air National Guard in competition with some of the world's best pilots during the Air Force first all-jet Fighter Gunnery and Weapons Meet at Nellis AFB, Nev., next month have been selected.

Maj. Gen. Earle M. Jones, California's adjutant general has been notified by Lt. Col. George W. Edmonds of Hayward, Calif., team commander, that the following pilots have been selected:

Maj. Roland R. Wright, Maj. Robert E. Erickson, and Capt. Alma R. Jones, all of the 191st Fighter Bomber Squadron; Maj. Milton R. Graham, and Maj. James W. Edwards. Colonel Edmonds will be the sixth member.

Maj. Wright was a member of the team that won the tactical Air Command Gunnery Meet at Eglin AFB, Fla., in 1952.

Major Graham took first place individual honors in the Air National Guard Gunnery Meets in 1951 and 1953 and was second in 1952.

Majors Edwards and Graham composed the 144th Fighter Bomber Wing Gunnery team which won the meet in 1953.

The 191st and 192d Fighter Bomber Squadrons of Salt Lake City and Reno respectively are component organizations of the 144th Fighter Bomber Wing stationed at Hayward.

For its outstanding record in winning this meet for three successive years the 144th Fighter Bomber Wing was chosen from 27 Air National Guard wings representing 48 states, Hawaii, Alaska and Puerto Rico for the forthcoming Nellis meet.

The team will consist of four regular members with two alternates. Colonel Edmonds reported that the team had just received new 50 calibre machine guns and mounts and new radar sets for the six Sabrejets they will use.

They will compete at Nellis from 7-13 June against seven major commands of the USAF in various events including air-to-air and air-to-ground gunnery, rocketry, low level bombing, dive bombing and panel gunnery.

ACADEMY SITE SOON

The site of the new Air Force Academy was expected to be announced momentarily as "The Journal" went to press.

Air Force Secretary Harold E. Talbott had hoped to make the announcement last week-end, but at that time his five-member Commission had not reached final agreement.

The Commission flew over 18,000 miles and visited numerous sites before settling down to final debate on the Academy location.

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Carswell Host to Industry Group; Tour Convair

Five hundred members of the American Ordnance Association were guests at Carswell AFB, Tex., 7 May for a static display of modern SAC aircraft and a flying demonstration.

A briefing on the set-up and operation of the Strategic Air Force was given the industrialists by Maj. Gen. John B. Montgomery, USAF, commander of the Eighth Air Force.

The flying demonstration included a close look at a low flying FICON demonstration in which a Convair GRB-36 released and recovered its parasite Republic F-84F. A maximum performance climb by a Lockheed F-94 and a maximum performance takeoff and climb by a B-36 were also featured. A point of interest was a low flyover of a Douglas C-124 transport.

The Air Force's famed Thunderbird team gave a demonstration of precision formation flying in acrobatics.

Following the show there was an outdoor lunch. Before the lunch Brig. Gen. Earl S. Gruver, Deputy Chief of Ordnance, had his new two-star emblem of his promotion to major general pinned on by Lt. Gen. Levin H. Campbell, Jr., USA-Ret., former Chief of Ordnance, and now president of the AOA.

Following the Carswell visit the AOA members visited the Ft. Worth plant of the Consolidated Vultee Aircraft Corp., where they saw B-36s in process of manufacture.

32 More Named to AF From USMA, Annapolis

Following Defense Secretary Charles E. Wilson's order increasing the Air Force percentage of West Point and Annapolis graduates, the President this week nominated 32 additional Academy men for AF commissions.

The Defense Secretary upped the Air Force allotment from 25 to 30 per cent over strong protests by the Navy and dis-satisfaction expressed by the Army.

Earlier (THE JOURNAL, 15 May), 367 members of the USMA and USNA graduating classes were nominated for commissions in the Air Force. The additional numbers this week (21 from West Point and 11 from Annapolis) make a combined total of 399 from the two Academies.

Those appointed by the President this week are:

From	USMA	USNA
Abernathy, Thomas J	McKay, Kevin E	Padberg, Richard G
Bathurst, W D	Morris, Ronald E	Sandlin, Doral R
Bavaria, Edward C	Moss, James E	Van Ausdal, Alton L
Pentz, Richard H	Neas, John M	Vlericky, Van L
Cockrell, Kirk F	Rude, Joseph A	Weaver, John E
Cronin, James H	Gagmoen, W T	Wetzel, Emery S. Jr
Greasland, Robert L	Knotts, George F	Wilson, Charles E
Harover, S R. III	Maestri, Raymond R	
Higgs, James G	McCarthy, F. J., Jr	
Kaiser, Robert A		
Knapp, Ronald K		

From	USNA
Creager, W A, Jr	Padberg, Richard G
Deem, Donald D	Sandlin, Doral R
Heinrich, George F	Van Ausdal, Alton L
Knotts, George F	Vlericky, Van L
Maestri, Raymond R	Whitehead, James B
McCarthy, F. J., Jr	

MIGs EASY SPINNERS

A great weakness of the Russian MiG was its lack of stability because, unlike our North American F-86's, control had been sacrificed to weight. So Brig. Gen. Leighton I. Davis, USAF, Director of Development, told the Society of Aeronautical Weight Engineers last week in Baltimore.

"The MiG-15," said General Davis, "had only mechanical longitudinal control instead of the irreversible hydraulic boost employed on the F-86. This saved weight but resulted in poor stability. In the month of September 1952 alone, some 30 per cent of all MiG-15 losses were attributed to the fact that poor stability characteristics resulted in uncontrollable spinning of the MiG's when forced into tight turns by our pilots."

New 10th AF P.I.O.

Capt. William G. Alloway, becomes Tenth Air Force Information Services Officer today, 1 May at Selfridge AFB, Mich.

He succeeds Capt. Kenneth W. Beese, who switched to the intelligence branch.

Pay Raise Would Save Money Air Sec'y Says; Urges Cheaper Groceries, Pre-War PX Plan

Another strong appeal for a military pay raise has been made by Air Force Secretary Harold E. Talbott, who also called for reduction in commissary costs.

The civilian chief of the Air Force told a New York City audience that Service pay "has not kept pace with rising costs of living."

He said, "While it would appear on the surface to cost money to raise service pay and to restore traditional benefits and privileges, such expenditures would be repaid many times by the savings in retraining costs of new men—not to mention the priceless increase in efficiency of our Air Force—and other Services."

Speaking at an Armed Forces Day rally last week-end, Secretary Talbott noted that too many men are leaving the military Service. "Private industry and business," he said, "have long recognized the fact that adequate compensation and good working conditions will attract and hold skilled, loyal employees."

The Air Secretary also called for the return of "traditional rights and privileges" which have been whittled away in an effort to save money. He said, "We are asking for the removal of the surtax on commissary purchases. We are urging a return to the prewar post exchange system and privileges."

Mr. Talbott noted that "Buying privileges in commissaries and post exchanges now save little money. Restrictions have

been placed on the type and quality of merchandise on sale."

Reductions in fringe benefits, "affecting as they do the lives and morale of all the Services have certainly been pennywise and pound-foolish," he said.

The Air Force Secretary concluded that the efficiency of the United States' military forces will be impaired "unless the inequities in the treatment of our servicemen are corrected."

Changing Station? Notify the Army Navy Air Force Journal promptly to avoid missing any issues.

Gen. LeMay Wins Honor

General Curtis E. LeMay, USAF, commander of the Strategic Air Command, has been awarded the 1954 American Legion Billy Mitchell Award as "the U. S. citizen making the most outstanding individual contribution to aviation progress."

Presentation of the award was made by Secretary of the Air Force Harold E. Talbott at a dinner ceremony of the New York American Legion Aviators Post at New York City's Waldorf-Astoria Hotel.

At the ceremony, General LeMay pointed out that he was accepting the award "on behalf of all members of the Strategic Air Command, thousands of whom are tonight, as well as very other night, carrying out their rigorous train-

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ing schedule both at home and overseas."

Past recipients of the Billy Mitchell award have included Jacqueline Cochran, 1939; Fiorello H. LaGuardia, 1940; General H. H. Arnold, 1941; Maj. Gen. Claire Chennault, 1943; Igor I. Sikorsky, 1944; and Lt. Gen. James E. Doolittle, 1948.

Army Scientist Named Dean

Dr. Thomas J. Killian, Chief Scientist of the Army Office of Ordnance Research, has been appointed Dean of the School of Engineering and Architects, Catholic University of America, Washington, D. C.

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Lt. Gen. Harold L. George, USAF-Ret., wartime commanding general of the Air Transport Command, has been elected Mayor of Beverly Hills, Calif.

General George is also Director of the Ramo-Wooldridge Corporation, a California organization engaged in research and development in the field of advance electronics.



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More Money for More Defense? When Defense Secretary Wilson returns to Washington on 30 May from his survey trip to the Far East one of his first tasks must be a reevaluation of future defense strengths in light of the observations on his trip, the deteriorating situation in Southeast Asia, and the threat of further overt acts on the part of the Communist-dominated world now in a swaggering mood because of its victory at Dienbienphu.

Present defense plans are based on a reduction of the Army from 20 to 17 divisions. Rapidly moving events already are demonstrating that this cannot be done safely in face of our international commitments—those already made and those proposed. The projected reductions in Navy ships and men could well limit the action of our seaborne fighting arm at a time when we would need it badly. Mr. Wilson's travelling companion, Navy Under Secretary Gates, can be expected to explain the implications here. Even the Air Force, which has been given the biggest share of the defense responsibility under the "New Look," has not really been expanded beyond long standing plans—its ultimate goal has, in fact, been cut.

Will this proposed contraction in armed strength give the United States the protection it needs? This is the question Secretary Wilson will have to be ready to answer. If it is insufficient, and we think it is, immediate steps must be taken to put the problem before Congress and ask for the additional funds necessary to maintain Armed Forces realistically geared to the Nation's safety and international obligations.

Retirement and Survivor Benefits. The comprehensive report and recommendations of the Kaplan Committee on military retirement and survivor benefits, revealed to the Services last week by THE JOURNAL, have aroused considerable interest not only among Service personnel but in Congress as well. But there seems to be little chance of action by the legislature in this pre-election session which will probably adjourn in July.

However, the new plan will most likely have the backing of: the Secretary of Defense, who was a member of the Committee and signed the report; the President, who appointed the Committee; and Congress which can see a monetary savings in its enactment. There is every reason to believe, therefore, that the recommendations will get full consideration at the next session of Congress which convenes in January of 1955.

The recommendations have much to commend them. Retirement pay, *per se*, will remain unchanged. It will be augmented, however, by full and permanent participation in Old Age and Survivor benefits, instead of the limited credits now provided on a temporary basis. A new system of survivor benefits, for active duty personnel only, will be provided in the form of a Service Compensation which would pay widows and other dependents an income amounting to 80 per cent of the first \$100 per month of gross income, plus 20 per cent of the remainder. These payments to widows would cease on remarriage. The present 6-month death gratuity would be retained but the minimum payments would be raised to \$1,200 and the maximum reduced to \$3,000.

There doubtless will be objections. The present system whereby the survivors of Reserve personnel killed in line of duty may, because Reserves are given FECA payments, get vastly greater incomes than corresponding Regular personnel, will be abolished and all categories of personnel put on the same basis. The report, however, will not affect those already being paid these high incomes, but will apply only to those widowed after the proposals go into effect.

Thus, while the survivors of Reserve personnel

it would mean a sizable reduction in the six-month chart gratuity to which their survivors are now entitled. This would be regarded by many as another instance of changing the rules in the middle of careers. By setting a \$3,000 maximum, the proposed law would bring a cut to all those now entitled to more (the present maximum runs up to the \$6,857 for a general officer receiving flight pay). This objection could be overcome by inserting a savings clause that no one now in the Service would suffer any reduction in benefits to which he is now entitled.

When Committee hearings are started on the new plan, we are assured that ample opportunity will be given to all who want to be heard. Thus, for the first time in many years the retirement and survivor benefits seem to be headed for a thorough and badly needed overhaul.

IN THE JOURNAL

10 Years Ago — Because of thoroughness in the training of Navy pilots, relatively few Naval fighter planes have been lost in routine handling. Also, in actual combat, even more favorable results have been obtained than had been indicated by early estimates. The fact that attrition figures on Naval fighter planes is only two-thirds of the estimate set early this year testifies to the over-all success of Naval air operations.

50 Years Ago — Interest in the question of battleships versus torpedoes is evidently even keener in Europe than here in the United States. A French Vice Admiral, while protesting that he is not an out-and-out partisan of the battleship, but that on the contrary he believes in the utility of torpedo-boats and submarines, holds that these small craft can be effective only when supported by a powerful naval force.

90 Years Ago — A general European war, springing from the Polish question, was threatened all last year, but it was finally averted by the firmness of the Czar and his success in suppressing the Polish insurrection. Another war, springing from the Danish question, and involving all the great powers was threatened at the opening of this year; but the success of the Austro-Prussian arms in Denmark, and the agreement of the parties interested to try and settle their difficulties by a Conference, seem for the time being to have averted the peril.

will not fare as well as under present laws they will be entitled to the same, grade for grade, as would be provided for the survivors of Regulars—which in every instance would be higher than now.

A draw-back is that it does nothing for those now retired or for their survivors—it applies only to those on active duty. In this recommendation the Committee may have been influenced by the recently enacted so-called survivors benefits for retired personnel whereby they must forfeit appreciable portions of their meager retirement pay to provide benefits for their survivors. Relatively few retired persons have taken advantage of this plan.

Another serious objection is that to many offi-

READERS' VIEWS

(Letters to the Editor must have author's name and address, but name will be omitted on publication if writer so states. Longer letters may be extracted for publication.)

Next of Kin of 37th Div. Vets

Editor, THE JOURNAL:

Since the end of World War Two we have been trying to locate the Next of Kin of men killed in action who served with the 37th Division, so that we may furnish them with a history of the Division.

Since our first appeal in your publication was so successful we are asking if you would please publish this second appeal:

"Attention Next-of-Kin of 37th Division Veterans of World War 2. Would you like to have a history of the famous division in which your loved ones served? Send your name, address, relationship, also the name and outfit of the man who served with the 37th Division to the address below and it will be sent to you with the compliments of the 37th Division Veterans Association." Frank Walker, Executive Board 37th Division Veterans Assn. 5620 Brinsted Ave. Dayton 9, Ohio

"Full" or "Light" Colonel?

Editor, THE JOURNAL:

It seems to me that the time has come when some action should be taken to restore dignity and prestige to the rank of Colonel in our military establishment.

I refer to the very undignified habit that prevails in our NEW Army and Air Force of calling Colonels "Eagle" or "Full" Colonels. Likewise Lieutenant Colonels are habitually referred to as "light"

Colonels, etc.

When I came into the service and until at least just before World War II, all Lieutenant Colonels were called by their full and correct title and were never referred to as Colonels. Presently Lieutenant Colonels and Colonels answer the phone "Colonel so and so speaking." Under current rules you have to ask "Are you a full or light Colonel?" to distinguish between them. After being asked this question several times each week, it becomes embarrassing.

How about starting a crusade on this matter to get us back to normalcy?

A FULL EAGLE COLONEL

Objects to Survivors' Plan

Editor, THE JOURNAL:

There are two features of the Survivors Benefit Plan which I consider repugnant to officers in my category, of which there are a great number. I rule out two groups; one—those retired officers who feel their physical condition is such that their life expectancy is very short and the other the younger men who have a considerable amount of service ahead of them.

For us who have retired within the last two years, and are in fairly good health, these are the two features I consider unfavorable. One—the short time permitted to arrive at a decision (I hope this may be extended and two—the fact that when once started it can never be stopped. The latter is probably the worst feature of the bill.

I believe that an officer would be

willing to sacrifice all that he has paid into this program if he could discontinue it in the event that family problems were such that he needed the money at once. With the gradual withdrawal of hospital benefits from service people it is going to make their cost of living much greater in years to come and that is the time when they will need all the available funds.

All officers whom I have spoken to in this locality state that it is too expensive. However, a great many are resorting to additional civilian insurance and savings to make up for this Government plan which they feel they cannot accept.

COL. U.S.A. (RET.)

Bataan Nurses

Editor, THE JOURNAL:

Not that it really matters, but Maj. Maude D. Williams, ANC, and I can only wonder why we were not included with the "Bataan Nurses still on Active Duty" printed in your JOURNAL (17 April).

Just to keep the record straight we are both stationed at Ft. Knox at the present time. Also we served at Bataan, Corregidor and Santo Lomas Internment Camp along with the others.

EDITH SHACKLETTE GRIMES
LT. COL. ANC

Note: The erroneous report which omitted the names of Army Nurse Grimes and Williams was prepared by the Office of the Army Surgeon General. THE JOURNAL is pleased to set the facts straight.

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PERMANENT AUTHORITY to integrate Reserve and temporary officers into the Regular ranks of the Army, Navy, Air Force and Marine Corps is contained in legislation drafted by the Defense Department. The plan "is now under study in the Bureau of the Budget," according to a House Armed Services Committee report recommending continuance of the present temporary integration program in the Navy and Marine Corps.

TWO WEST POINT BARRACKS are scheduled to be renovated at a cost of \$497,000. A measure approved by the Senate this week authorizes rehabilitation of barracks 737 and 747 at the Military Academy. Shower rooms (now in the basement of the buildings) will be provided on each floor, 12 new study rooms will be constructed, high-grade terrazzo flooring will be substituted for deteriorated floor covering, and asphalt tile will be installed on exposed wooden floors.

I&E LEGISLATION, initially proposed by the Defense Department to give permanent stature to the information and education program and later whittled down to a two-year plan by the Senate Armed Services Committee, was approved this week by the Senate. A floor amendment added another five months to the life of the program. As passed, the measure will expire on 31 Dec. 1956 instead of 31 July of that year as previously recommended by the Committee.

APPOINTMENT of Col. Leland Hazelton Hewitt, USA-Ret., as United States Commissioner, International Boundary and Water Commission of the United States and Mexico, was passed over this week in the Senate at the request of Senator Gore (D-Tenn.). Meanwhile, the House Armed Services Committee reported it "heartily endorses" Colonel Hewitt for the position. At present, the Committee said, "the Commission is unable to function since there is no United States member."

PLANS TO MOVE the Army QMGC Purchasing Office from New York to Philadelphia are vigorously protested by Senator Kennedy (D-Mass.) because they "would militate to the serious disadvantage of the New England and entire Northeast textile industry which . . . has been laboring under serious economic burdens." The Senator has registered a "strong protest" with Army Secretary Stevens.

A MOVE TO PUT MILITARY VEHICLES into a giant Government motor pool operated by the General Services Administration is being opposed by the Defense Department. Maj. Gen. Paul F. Yount, Army Chief of Transportation, told the House Government Operations Committee "the head of the agency assigned primary responsibility for the national security must not be made subordinate to or dependent upon another executive agency for the supply of transportation and equipment required for the national defense."

"**SIGNIFICANT PROGRESS** has been made during the last 12 months in converting our air forces to jet aircraft," Senator Saltonstall (R-Mass.) notes. In a speech at Swampscott, Mass., recently, the Senate Armed Services Committee Chairman said "Inventories for jet airplanes have been increased 50 per cent." He added that by the end of June, the Air Force will have "80 per cent more wings in the highest category of readiness than it had 15 months earlier" and "the number of wings in the lowest category of readiness will have been reduced" during the same period to one-quarter the number previously in that category.

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Legislative Calendar

The following bills were introduced:

House

HR 9066, Rep Cole (R-Mo)—provides equal benefits for members of the Reserve components.

HR 9072, Rep Ford (R-Mich) — extends readjustment benefits provided to Korean veterans to persons who served in the Armed Forces between WWII and the beginning of the Korean conflict.

HR 9074, Rep Philbin (D-Mass)—provides for conveyance of a portion of Fort Devens,

HR 9094, Rep Hinshaw (R-Calif)—extends POW benefits under War Claims Act to American POWs captured and held during Korean hostilities.

HR 9099, Rep McCormack (D-Mass)—authorizes Secretary of the Army to lease to Massachusetts portions of the Boston Army Base in the post of Boston.

HR 9116, Rep Mack (R-Wash)—increases monthly pension payable to certain widows of deceased veterans of Spanish-American War, Boxer Rebellion and Philippine Insurrection.

HR 9119, Rep Short (R-Mo)—authorizes rehabilitation of barracks at West Point.

HR 9160, Rep Johnson (R-Calif)—increases the enlisted strength of organized units of the Reserve components.

HR 9169, Rep Radwan (R-NY)—amends Veterans Regulations to provide that psychoses or multiple sclerosis developing a 10 percent or more degree of disability within three years after separation shall be presumed to be service-connected.

HR 9171, Rep Rogers (R-Mass)—provides additional time to disabled veterans for filing application for assistance in purchasing an auto or other conveyance and to make such assistance available to certain disabled persons who have not been separated from active service.

HR 9177, Rep Reed (R-Ill)—provides for protection of defense facilities.

Senate

S 3418, Sen Langer (R-ND)—seeks release of U.S. soldiers now prisoners of Red China.

S 3428, Sen Ferguson (R-Mich)—authorizes Federal Government to guard strategic defense facilities against sabotage, espionage or subversion.

S 3441, Sen Humphrey (D-Minn)—amends Veterans Regulation to establish a presumption of service connection for progressive muscular atrophy becoming manifest within three years from separation from service.

S 3446, Sen Stennis (D-Miss)—authorizes rehabs of barracks at West Point.

S 3466, Sen Saltonstall (R-Mass)—provides for two additional assistant secretaries of the Army, Navy and Air Force.

S 3473, Sen Ferguson (R-Mich)—provides that any person in the Armed Forces on or after 27 June 1950 shall be entitled to unemployment compensation benefits.

Action

The Senate passed without amendment and cleared for the President:

HR 2274, extends authority of the Secretary of the Air Force to assist the Civil Air Patrol.

HR 7328, promotes the national defense by authorizing construction of aeronautical research facilities by the NACA.

HR 5862, authorizes the Panama Canal Company to transfer the Canal Zone Corrosion Laboratory to the Navy.

HR 7329, relieves the Army Medical Corps of responsibility for superintending cooking by enlisted men.

HR 1433, prevents retroactive checkage of retired pay in cases of certain enlisted men.

The Senate passed with amendment and sent back to the House:

HR 4231, increases the number of cadets and midshipmen to be appointed from among sons of deceased members of the Armed Forces.

HR 7541, promotes the national defense by including a representative of the Defense Department as a member of the NACA.

HR 6374, provides a statutory plan for warrant officers similar to that provided for commissioned officers.

HR 2225, provides for sundry administrative matters affecting Defense Department.

The Senate passed with amendment and cleared for the House:

S 3446, authorizes certain rehabilitation at the USMA.

S 3270, provides that leave accrued by POWs in Korea shall not be counted in determining the maximum amount of leave which may accumulate.

S 3401, authorizes I&E program through 31 Dec 1956.

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See No Quick End to Geneva or Paris Discussions—

COMMENT ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS

THE complex political discussions at Geneva and Paris, not merely as between the Russo-Chinese-Vietminh and the western supporters of the Vietnam, but between France and Vietnam as well, continue their leisurely pace, with no certainty of reaching a quick conclusion. Bao Dai, whom France installed as a nominal "emperor," has recognized that he will receive wide moral support, if no more, in his campaign for a pledge of full independence of France, and understandably is holding out for it. The French government, aware that it remains in office on sufferance, can take no step which will cause it the loss of a mere half-dozen votes in the Chamber and, desperately anxious to reach the terms of an acceptable truce in Indo-China, must continue to juggle all the non-urgent issues long enough to reach, if possible, the main target. It is extremely doubtful, however, that the armistice can be reached in advance of a firm agreement with Bao Dai, or even that it should. For (even apart from the disarming effect upon Russia which an independence pledge would have) it is vital to a Southeast Asia defensive pact, and is so regarded by the western nations engaged in the Geneva discussions on the Far East. The essential part of a Southeast Asia union as a practical possibility is unmistakably the participation of all

Indo-China as an independent element. This was made clear by General Walter Bedell Smith, Under Secretary of State, in unusually sharp terms. Hard as is the task of M. Bidault, in view of the totally unpredictable behavior of his parliament, the independence pledge must be regarded as the keystone of short-range and long-range hopes for Southeast Asia. Incidentally there is an intimate association of this principle with the long-considered plan for American training of the Vietnam forces for a non-guerrilla type of warfare. The war's techniques have changed and unfortunately the Vietminh rebels were the first to make the change, for which they had been retrained by the Chinese and Russian Reds with such telling effect at Dien Bien Phu and on the roads toward Hanoi.



GEN. SMITH

AUSTRALIA'S Minister for External Affairs, the durable Richard G. Casey, this week made formal announcement of his country's readiness to explore the possibilities of a Southeast Asia pact with New Zealand, France, Britain, and the United States. In opportune manner he, too, noted that a military compact for outside assistance is not enough; rather that the core of defense for Asia must be the Asian nations themselves in willing association with the others in preparing their own defense, both military and political, against Communism. The same reservations obviously affect British thinking and, while London has simply declined to make commitments for the future pact or to discuss its merits at this time, it is apparent that Indo-Chinese independence is recognized there, too, as a necessary first step.

THE NEUTRALISM of India and Ceylon, and the aggressive hostility of the strong Red element in Indonesia, cannot be ignored. During the past week a Ceylon spokesman volunteered that his small country could not consider participation in an anti-Communist bloc, lest this "invite attack." In Indonesia, more assertively, there is consideration of a non-aggression pact with Red China, in which India and Burma would be invited to participate, as a counterweight to any such Southeast Asia pact as the western nations have suggested; its origin is of course in the active Red organization of Indonesia; the home opposition to it is chiefly Moslem. From India there is no indication of large interest in the proposal; Mr. Nehru remains determined to avoid anything which is clearly in support of either principle and, in the words of the old yarn, "is not going to be neutral against anybody." There has been this week a curious test of his position with regard to Tibet's continuing absorption by Red China (which in the livelier days of British India would have been sturdily resisted). Mr. Nehru himself in 1950 protested Red China's advances but, being promptly rebuffed by Mr. Chou En-lai, subsided completely. This week has brought from spokesmen of the Socialist opposition a new protest against Chinese suzerainty, employing almost the identical words Mr. Nehru used four years ago, and raising once more the question of whether India is to recognize the absorption of Tibet.

PRESIDENT MAGSAYSAY, lately troubled by political rebellion within the Nacionalistas (primarily seeking to transfer some of the vigorous President's powers to the Congress), has at last gained a great deal against the plain sedition which he, more effectively than any other, has been striving for years to get under control. This is of course the revolt of the Huks. The new event of importance is the surrender of their veteran leader, Luis Tarac, who now goes on trial for rebellion and murder, unless there is a grant of amnesty. Nor is such a grant out of the question, despite the multiple cases which can be readily made against Tarac. President Magsaysay's success against the Huks has been achieved by his adroit combination of strength and persuasiveness; thousands of Huks whose real quest had been land to live on were not punished at all, but were given tracts on which they promptly settled down as loyal Filipino farmers; those who were killed were the intractables, and it is Tarac's job to prove himself tractable. The Huks rebellion becomes weaker. Its present purpose is unmistakable, for the prime leader now is Jesus Lava, who is regarded as the top Communist of the islands and the new Public Enemy No. 1. But if the Huks revolt is under control, it is idle to ignore the political revolt and it may take another national vote with an equally sweeping popular victory for Mr. Magsaysay to establish the President's domination over the Laurel-Recto elements in his own party. The issue, as usual, is fundamentally whether Mr. Magsaysay's firm support of the young nation's joint commitments with America will be disturbed by the Laurel-Recto demands for abrogation.

IN CENTRAL AMERICA we have new worries over widespread Communist activity, against which Secretary Dulles led the lively and successful assault at the recent Caracas conference of American states. Now, as then, the trouble centers in Guatemala, where there is an extremely energetic Communist party, influential in the government and now, it would seem, planning raids on Guatemala's neighbors. The specific act is the unloading at Puerto Barrios of what the ship-

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MEMO**News And Gossip
For Journal Readers**

WHEN SECDEF WILSON RETURNS from his trip to the Far East, he will be faced with the problem of supporting or rejecting a proposal by top aides for a military pay raise. Asst. SecDef Hannah and AF Sec'y Talbott laid it on the line during Armed Forces Week addresses; they said the nation's security is jeopardized by loss of skilled military personnel, cited pay inequity as a major problem. Either Mr. Wilson must join his subordinates in urging a pay hike, or request them to tone down their remarks. If not, the Armed Forces, as well as the public, will be confused as to Pentagon policy with regard to a cost-of-living pay adjustment.

REENLISTMENT BONUS BOOSTS for the Armed Services are in peril because of the delay in transmittal of legislation from the Defense Dept. and Budget Bureau. It's a situation where everyone at the Pentagon has talked about the need for raising re-up pay, but without telling Congress what's wanted and how much it will cost.

NAVY SWORD OWNERS who patriotically parted with their swords to strengthen the WWII scrap drive are up in arms. They must go out now and buy replacements—an investment of 50 dollars and up.

DISARMING "FOREIGN ATOMIC DEVICES" has been assigned by the President and the National Security Council to ordnance disposal units under Dept. of the Army jurisdiction. Newly issued SR 380-150-30 on this subject concludes: "No attempt should be made by any individual, other than by members of the Army Ordnance Units charged with the responsibility, to dismantle an apparent atomic device."

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NATIONAL GUARD CONTENTION that the Guard—and not the Reserve—should be relied on as the top priority civilian components will be strengthened by newly issued reports showing that the Guard scored a net gain of 25,000 during Feb. and March. "We expect to have no trouble reaching our fiscal year-end strength targets," says Maj. Gen. Edgar C. Erickson, National Guard Bureau Chief. Guard advocates maintain the same cannot be said for the Reserve.

THE ONLY WAVE OFFICER ever retired and recalled to active service is LCdr. Mary Elizabeth Brown, USN-Ret., who is on duty with the Security Review Division of the Defense Dept. PubInfo Office. Her retirement was forced as a result of restrictions on the number of WAVE officers the Navy has advanced to commander. Commander Brown's recall to duty after retirement was requested by the Defense Dept.

COMMUNIST SABOTAGE THREATS prevent the Armed Forces from hastily expanding "Native Son" projects overseas, in which foreign nationals are used to replace military personnel. Careful precautions are essential to prevent infiltration of Red sympathizers in important depots and other facilities.

IN OPPOSITE FASHION, however, Defense Dept. advocates of "Native Son" point out that employment of indigenous labor promotes goodwill. Records are available which show that in specific areas, this employment has curtailed the influence of Communist agitators against U. S. Armed Forces.

MILITARY CLOTHING SALES will get a shot in the arm when Army officers begin purchase next year of the new Army Green uniform. For a number of months, it is likely the AG-44 garb will be available only from commercial sources; later, the uniform also will be handled at QM Sales as well.

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MOMENTARY ANNOUNCEMENT is expected of a proposal which would "keep faith" with the 3000 to 4000 Air Force ROTC graduates now scheduled to serve on active duty as airmen or face induction into the Army. Pentagon officials were working busily on a plan, as The Journal went to press, which would permit most, if not all, of these ROTC graduates to serve as officers, as was planned when they began the two-year senior ROTC training.

AIRBORNE WASH-OUTS disturb Army officials. With more men volunteering to take jump training, the Army wants to cut down the percentage of men who fail to complete the course. At Ft. Benning, Ga., it's reported that from 15 to 25% of the trainees wash-out at the 34-foot training tower.

ONE BUSINESS EXECUTIVE made a lot of numbers during the recent JCOC at the Infantry Center. He is Shanley F. Corcoran, who made a test jump from a training tower. Mr. Corcoran is president of the firm which makes paratrooper boots.

PERSONAL HYGIENE at West Point will be less of a problem if Congress votes authority for new construction. At the present time, many cadets must descend 2 to 4 floors to take a shower. New legislation asks O.K. for construction of facilities on each floor.

MARINE CORPS REPRESENTATION in the joint Defense Dept. press section is being downgraded. Since establishment of the unified set-up, the Marines have assigned a colonel to head their one-man desk. The Army has a civilian; the Air Force, a lieutenant colonel and the Navy, a commander. The Marines in the future, are expected to fill this billet with a major.

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THE CRAZY MIXED UP survivor benefits now provided for widows of military personnel is pointed up in an intriguing comparison from the voluminous Kaplan Report. It shows the present value of benefits for the average unremarried widow of a Regular Service private is \$1529 higher than benefits received by the widow of a Regular major general.

ON THE OTHER HAND, value of benefits paid to the unremarried widow of a Reserve major general are computed to be worth \$95,968 more than benefits for the widow of a Reserve private.

THE KAPLAN COMMITTEE recommends a plan that would make widow benefits for Regular and Reserve privates worth an estimated average of \$49,027, compared with a proposed \$81,335 alike for widows of Regular and Reserve major generals.

SURVIVOR BENEFIT data disclosed this week shows that out of 53,516 Army retired personnel who returned Uniformed Services Contingency Option Act forms, 5846 elected to take one of the four options. Congress has extended until 1 Nov. the deadline for those on active duty with 18 or more years service to make their election.

THE KAPLAN REPORT, described in last week's issue of The Journal, undoubtedly will complicate planning for members of the Armed Services trying to work out a survivor benefit plan for their families. Chances appear slim that the Kaplan recommendations will be acted upon by Congress this year.

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Dolph, Brig Gen Cyrus A., III, Wash, DC, to USAFFE, Zama, Japan.

General Officer Temp Appointments

To Maj General

With Date of Rank as indicated:
Chorpening, Claude H., USA, 2 Feb 1950.
Corput, Rex Van D Jr, USA, 3 Feb 1950.
Gorby, Alvin L., MC, 4 Feb 1950.
McGinley, Eugene, USA, 5 Feb 1950.
McGaw, Edward J., USA, 7 Feb 1950.
Waters, William E., USA, 7 Feb 1950.
Watson, Numa A., USA, 8 Feb 1950.
Pierce, James R., USA, 9 Feb 1950.
Newman, Oliver P., USA, 10 Feb 1950.
Roper, Harry McK., USA, 11 Feb 1950.
Post, Elwyn D., USA, 12 Feb 1950.
Willems, John M., USA, 13 Feb 1950.
Dewey, Lawrence R., USA, 14 Feb 1950.
Hayford, Bertram F., USA, 15 Feb 1950.
Hewett, Hobart, USA, 16 Feb 1950.
Burnell, Nathaniel A 2d, USA, 17 Feb 1950.
Hollis, Robert P., USA, 19 Feb 1950.
Gruber, Earl S., USA, 20 Feb 1950.
Evans, Ira K., USA, 21 Feb 1950.
Ennis, William P. Jr, USA, 23 Feb 1950.
Stork, Harry P., USA, 24 Feb 1950.

To Brig General

With Date of Rank as indicated:
Heathcote, Earl W., Arty, 11 Apr 1954.
Nutter, William H., Arm, 12 Apr 1954.
Holmes, Ernest V., Arty, 13 Apr 1954.
Barlow, Ernest A., Inf, 14 Apr 1954.
Wood, William H., Arm, 15 Apr 1954.
Johnson, Edwin L., Arty, 16 Apr 1954.
Bird, John F., Arty, 17 Apr 1954.
Lynch, George P., Inf, 18 Apr 1954.
O'Connor, William W., Inf, 19 Apr 1954.
Hardenbergh, Elmer P., FC, 20 Apr 1954.
Baker, Wm C Jr, CE, 21 Apr 1954.
Smith, C Rodney, CE, 22 Apr 1954.
Griffing, Lewis S., Arty, 23 Apr 1954.
Collins, Samuel P., SigC, 24 Apr 1954.
Aloe, Robert C., Inf, 25 Apr 1954.
Disney, Paul A., Arm, 26 Apr 1954.
Anderson, Webster, QMC, 27 Apr 1954.
Hauck, Clarence J Jr, JAGC, 28 Apr 1954.
Butler, Robert G., OrdC, 29 Apr 1954.
McKenzie, Henry R., QMC, 30 Apr 1954.
Mackintosh, Hugh, QMC, 1 May 1954.
Lynde, Nelson M Jr, OrdC, 2 May 1954.
Beauchamp, Chas E., Inf, 3 May 1954.
Lindeman, Phillip F., Inf, 4 May 1954.
Pachler, Francis T., Inf, 5 May 1954.
Dolph, Cyrus A 3d, Inf, 6 May 1954.
Moorman, Frank W., SigC, 7 May 1954.

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McGee, Col John H., Ft Jackson, SC, to USARPAC.
Letzelter, Col Cyril J., Ft Riley, Kan, to 5102d ASU Ind, w/sta at Notre Dame Univ, South Bend, Ind.
Juskalian, Lt Col George, Norfolk, Va, to OAC of S, 8534th AAU, Wash, DC.
Mueller, Lt Col George H., West Point, NY, to Stu Det Hq Third Army, w/sta at Univ of Ala, Tuscaloosa, Ala.
Duncan, Lt Col Jack M., Monterey, Calif, to USA Min to Ecuador, Quito, Ecuador.
Emerson, Maj Edwin, College Station, Tex, to Stu Det CGSC, Ft Leavenworth, Kans.
Conway, Maj Walter E., Monterey, Calif, to USA Min to Costa Rica, San Jose, Costa Rica.
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Penfield, Capt Walter A., Ft Knox, Ky, to 5112th ASU III ROTC Instr Gp, w/sta at Mattoon HS, Mattoon, Ill.
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Buck, 1st Lt Richard J., Ft Myer, Va, to Stu Det Hq First Army, w/sta Yale Univ, New Haven, Conn.
Wallace, 1st Lt Bud, Cp Stoneman, Calif, to 4050th ASU Army Avn Sch, Ft Sill, Okla.
Nickel, 1st Lt Woodburn J., Gloucester, Mass, to USARPAC.
Aeschliman, 1st Lt _____, Ft Holabird, Md, to Hq First Army, Governors Is, NY.
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Sharpe, Lt Col Granville A., Norfolk, Va.
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Ruble, Capt Richard L., Ft Sill, Okla.

Mitchell, Maj John F., Chicago.

Bosell, Maj Fred E., Jr., Ft Belvoir, Va.

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Falls, Lt Col Bruce T., Joint Abn Trp Bd

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 Bryan, Lt Col Thomas L, Wash, DC.
 Smalley, 2d Lt John P, Ft Sill, Okla.
 Strother, Lt Col Tom B, Ft Myer, Va.
 Myers, Col Shelly P, Jr, Austin, Tex.
 Langlois, Lt Col Silas R, Ft Hood, Tex.
 Sullivan, Lt Col Martin F, Washington, DC.
 Jaris, Maj Louis C, New Haven, Conn.
 Moore, Lt Col George B, Wash, DC.
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Slate New SAC Unit

The Strategic Air Command will activate and equip the 307th Air Refueling Squadron at Maxwell AFB, Montgomery, Ala., Headquarters SAC announced yesterday, 21 May.

Formal activation of the squadron at Maxwell will take place this month, SAC said, but the unit is not expected to receive its KC-97 tanker aircraft until July.

Maxwell AFB, which is headquarters of the Air University, is not a SAC base. However, the 307th will be stationed there as a tenant organization for an indefinite period. It will operate as a unit of SAC's Second Air Force, whose headquarters is at Barksdale AFB, La.

SAC Non Coms Checks

May Be Sent To Banks

A plan for having paychecks sent directly to banks — long a privilege afforded only officers — has been given formal approval for all Strategic Air Command NCOs.

The check-to-bank plan for top three graders gained approval approximately two years after initial SAC Comptroller action on the program was started.

When it goes into operation, which probably won't be for a couple of months, according to SAC officials, an NCO will be able to have his monthly pay sent directly from the base finance office to a bank of his choice.

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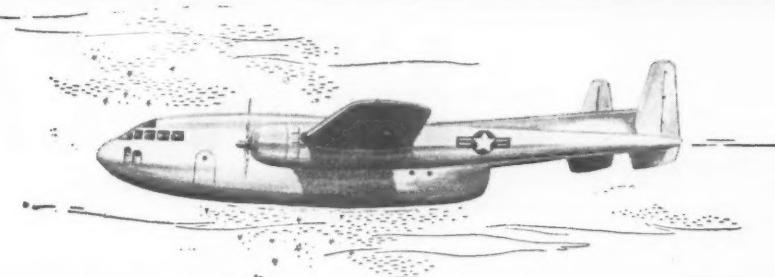
MUSEUM REPORT

A Mather AFB, Calif., officer, Lt. Robert T. Nelson, will address the American Association of Museums on 27 May at Santa Barbara, Calif.

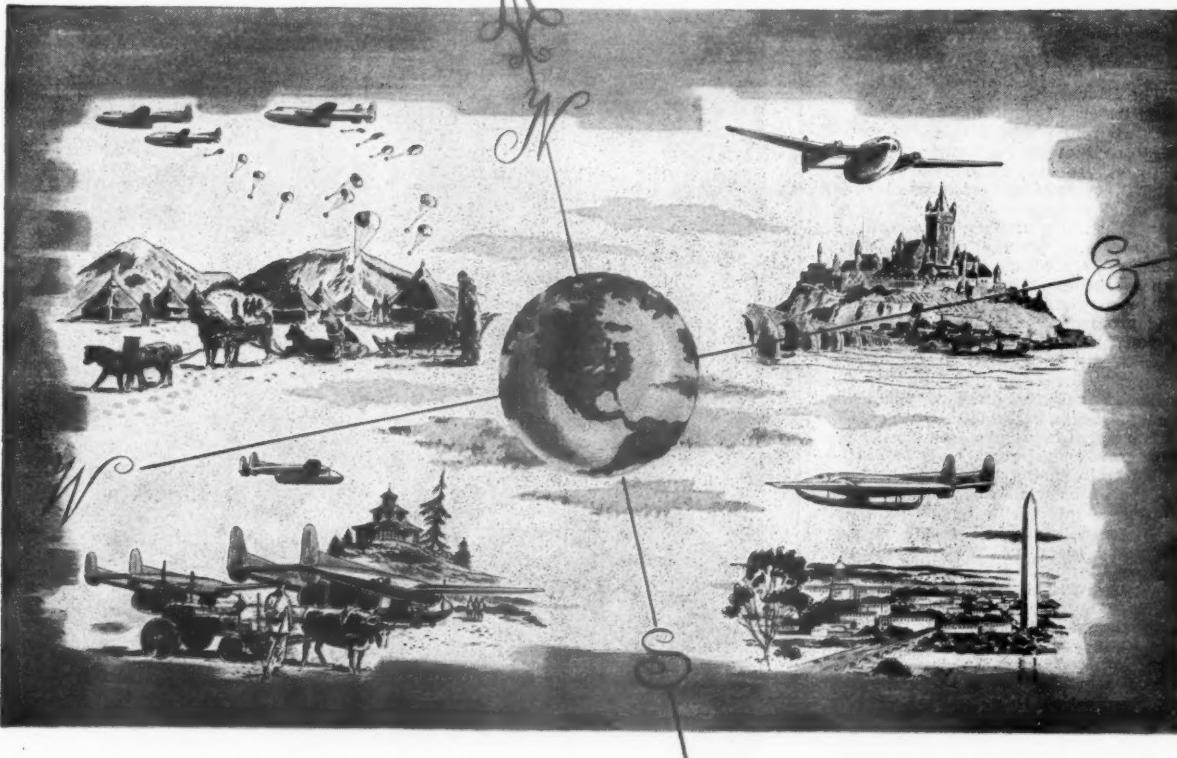
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in the ranks of major and lieutenant colonel.

Because of the hump, Mr. White observed, many Regular officers with high qualifications face promotion stagnation. Unless there is remedial action, he said, "it is certain that a number of our top-flight officers will suffer a loss of morale and will want to resign."

The obvious answer to the hump problem, Mr. White explained, is enlargement of the strength of the Regular Air Force—an action that would require Budget Bureau and Congressional approval.

He said that within the Air Force there are those who say—"and I do not disagree with their viewpoint"—that it is not unrealistic to double the present Regular officer strength of about 24,000.

Mr. White's authoritative remarks on the complicated problem of the officer promotion hump could be a tip-off to Air Force plans to seek remedial action by enlarging the Regular establishment on the basis of current and projected defense requirements.

In addition to the discussion of the re-enlistment and hump problems, punctuated by his strong support for a boost in re-up pay and expansion of the Regular Air Force, Mr. White said steps are necessary to improve housing, increase the availability of medical care for dependents, provide more off-duty education, improve survivor benefits, and in general restore fringe benefits lost during recent years.

It is to be noted that Assistant Secretary White has been a major Pentagon spokesman on Capitol Hill this year in urging the Appropriations Committees to provide funds for morale-building programs and to repeal or modify legislative riders.

"The Services have received a sympathetic hearing from Congress during the past two years," Mr. White stated, "and great progress has been made."

Turning to the matter of economies which have been achieved in Air Force personnel management, Mr. White said in response to a reporter's question that as a result of "energetic cooperation at all echelons, the Air Force will be able to man 137 wings with less manpower than had been originally projected for a 110-wing program, "and we will get it done quicker," he added.

Mr. White noted that at the time he took office, Air Force manning schedules called for utilization of 997,000 officers and airmen to serve in the 110 wings projected for the end of fiscal year 1954.

The revised program calls for attainment of 115 wings by 30 June 1954 with less than 955,000 officers and airmen, 120 by a year later with less than 970,000, 127 at the end of FY '56 with 975,000 and 137 a year after that with no additional manpower.

"This means the Air Force will man 137 wings with less manpower than originally thought necessary for 110," said Mr. White, observing that this does not take into consideration thousands of spaces provided for technical and upgrade training.

In this connection, he has recently informed members of Congress that the Air Force now has set up 54,000 technical training spaces per year, instead of a previous 36,900, and has found spaces for 16,500 "upgrade training" billets.

Mr. White, stressing the importance for this expansion in airmen training, said they will help greatly to alleviate shortages in critical specialties and eliminate at the same time surpluses in various areas.

He reported that a "skill run" showed the Air Force with a deficit of 70,000 air-

men specialists, which is being overcome by the stepped-up training activity.

A major accomplishment in the manpower economy-effectiveness program, Mr. White related, is the Native Son project, in which foreign nationals are used to replace airmen.

He said that by hiring 20,000 nationals overseas, it has been possible to replace 30,000 airmen, making them available to man positions in new wings and saving many millions of dollars.

As examples of Air Force manpower economy resulting from close cooperation between Headquarters and major commands, Mr. White said in the past year it has been possible to eliminate about 9,000 spaces for cooks, bakers and meat cutters, and another 8,000 spaces in motor vehicle maintenance.

Returning repeatedly during the inter-

view to the requirement of maintaining quality at all personnel levels, Mr. White maintained that the Air Force, now granted its own Recruiting Service, will be able to recruit the average of 11,000 new airmen per month during FY '55, necessary to maintain required strength levels.

The Assistant Secretary expressed some concern lest the Air Force, as well as the other Services, find it necessary to recruit large numbers of men in the lower mental category groups.

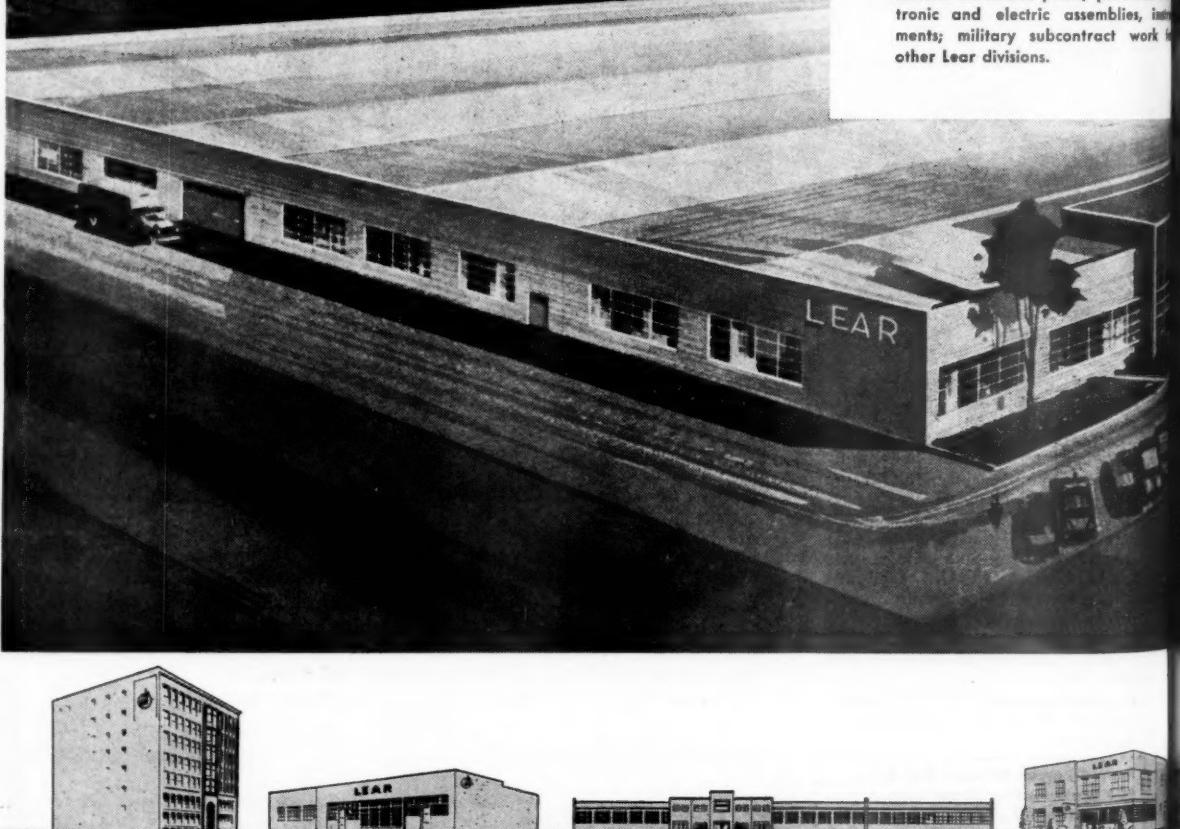
"But if we can get our reenlistment rate up and keep it at a level of at least 33 per cent," Mr. White reiterated, "we can solve a major part of our personnel problem, thereby promoting combat efficiency through quality of personnel, and saving the Government scores of millions of dollars in the process."

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Thompson, Glenn C., Shelby, Ohio, to 3894th Sch Gp, Maxwell AFB, Ala, w/sta at ICAF.

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Sloan, Donald C., Wash, DC, to Flt "A" Hq USAFE, APO 128, PM, New York, for dy with HQ US EUR COMD.

Lt Colonel

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Cook, William J., Wash, DC, to Hq 7th Bomb Wg, SAC, Carswell AFB, Tex.

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Kromer, Damon S., Oklahoma City, Okla, to 17th AF, USAFE.

Miller, Edith D., Wash, DC, to 566th Air DEF GRU, ADC, Hamilton AFB, Calif.

1st Lieutenant

Morrow, Robert W., Oklahoma City, Okla, to 3310th TEC Tng Wg, Scott AFB, Ill.

2d Lieutenant

Vavra, Donald A., Ent AFB, Colo, to 34th A Div, Kirtland AFB, Albuquerque, NMex.

Bragg, Robert E., Wright-Patterson AFB, O, to HQOCAMA, AMC, Tinker AFB, Okla.

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Korbecki, Stanley, Wash, DC, to Hq 4708th Def Wg, ADC, Selfridge AFB, Mich.

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Mobley, Col Emmett A, ret under Sec 5, Act of 31 July 35; Rel fr Hq AFFC, Colo.

Wogstad, Lt Col Everett O, Ret under Sec 5, Act of 31 Jul 35; Rel fr Hq Contl Div, MATS, Kelly AFB, Tex.

Allen, Maj Joseph R, Ret under Sec 5, Act of 31 Jul 35; Rel fr Hq 1707th AB Wg, MATS, Palm Beach IntlApt, West Palm Beach, Fla.

Gatti, Maj Matthew J; Ret under Sec 5, Act of 31 Jul 35; Rel fr Hq 3645th ABGp, ATRC, Laughlin AFB, Del Rio, Tex.

Michalchak, Maj George; Ret under Sec 5, Act of 31 Jul 35; Rel fr 328th BOMB SQ, SAC, Castle AFB, Calif.

Nix, Maj Oren, Ret under Sec 5, Act of 31 Jul 35; Rel fr 4750th Maint and Sup Sq, ADC, Yuma, Ariz.

Stevens, Maj Robert S; Ret under Sec 5, Act of 31 Jul 35; Rel fr 3550th InstiSq, ATRC, Moody AFB, Valdosta, Ga.

Hawley, Maj Joaquin P, pd, Rel fr 3650th USAF Hosp, ATRC, Sampson AFB, Geneva, NY.

Gray, 1st Lt Logan K, removed from temp disb ret list.

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Hatch, Lt Col A E Cousineau, Capt R D Sezler, Maj Borbert Standard, 1st Lt M A

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McArthur, Lt Col Shelby.
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Strong, Capt William L, upon acpt of Res Apt of Major.

Gagnon, Capt John A, Jr.
Gruben, Capt James F.
Hageman, Capt Robert G.
Pierce, 1st Lt Rudolph W, upon acpt of Res Apt.

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Hern, Joseph E, w/DR 10 May 54.

Tomme, Wade K, w/DR 8 May 54.

To 1st Lieutenant

Sweeney, Leo E Jr, w/DR 8 May 54.

Allred, John P Jr, w/DR 8 May 54.

Crossland, Robert F, w/DR 9 May 54.

Hoster, Charles S, w/DR 10 May 54.

Overfelt, Clifford D Jr, w/DR 8 May 54.

w/DR 12 May 54

Lahlum, Otto K Capers, Wm T, 3d

Brown, Donald D Johnson, Gene R

McQuillen, John R Leffert, Donald E

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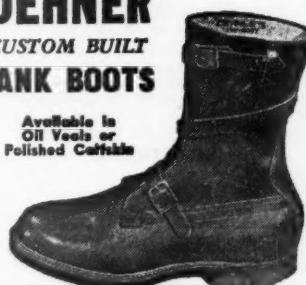
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Phillips, 1st Lt James H., Ft Benning, Ga., to 307th Abn Engr Bn, Ft Bragg, NC.
Rees, 1st Lt Marvin W., Ft Knox, Ky., to The Engr Cen, Ft Belvoir, Va.
Rife, 1st Lt William T., Ft Sam Houston, Tex., to 16th Armd Engr Bn, Ft Hood, Tex.
To The Engr Cen, Ft Belvoir, Va.

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Brown, Capt Arthur F., Ft Belvoir, Va.
Putman, Capt Oliver L., Chicago, Ill.
Dixon, 1st Lt Joseph E., Jr., Ft Belvoir, Va.
Franks, 1st Lt Victor L., Ft Leonard Wood, Mo.
Baker, Maj Joseph A., Ft Lewis, Wash.
McConnell, Maj Donald H., Lewisburg, Pa.

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Hinges, Capt N P., Newman, Maj G H.
Karter, Capt Peter L., Stewart, Maj D L.
Lindell, Capt K O., Boerger, Capt F C.
Malley, Capt R J., Boerger, Capt P T.
Nichols, Capt W S., Brown, Capt D D.
Pinkey, Capt V W., Crowley, Capt R E.
Steinborn, Capt R J., Denz, Capt E J.
Strain, Capt M A., Dowd, Capt T E., Jr.
Ugis, Capt P H., Jr., Fowler, Capt D E.
Waggener, Capt J G., Mowery, Lt Col W A.
Carlson, Maj J H., Downes, Maj M R.
Downes, Maj J H., Guinan, Maj W A.

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Munnely, 1st Lt John E., 508th Abn RCT, Ft Campbell, Ky.
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Diehl, Lt Col Forrest V., Ft Monmouth, NJ, to USA Elm SHAPE, 8651st AAU, Paris, France.
Middleton, Lt Col Marter D., Ft Monmouth, NJ, to 940th TSU Army Elect PG, Ft Huachuca, Ariz.
Horton, Lt Col Russell H., Wash, DC, to HQ and HQ Co, USA Europe, 8620th AAU, Frankfurt, Germany.
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Hawthorne, Capt Victor J., Indiana, Pa., to 47th Inf Div, Cp Rucker, Ala, w/sta at Ft Benning, Ga.
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Maj Gen George E Armstrong, SG

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Duga, Maj Anne, 7071st ASU USAH, Ft Belvoir, Va.

Jump, Maj Katherine R., Valley Forge AH, Phoenixville, Pa.

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Hayes, Maj James F, Wash, DC, to USARPAC.
Hopkins, Maj Clarence L, Ft Sill, Okla, to Hq USFA.
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Horrell, Capt Ardell R, Ft Leavenworth,

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Johnson, Capt Gardner A, Ft Riley, Kans.
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Barney, Maj John A, Ft Bragg, NC.
Hayes, 1st Lt James R, Ft Bragg, NC.

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Woods, Col George E, Jr, North Charleston, SC, to 9211th TSU Trans Mat Comd, Marietta, Pa.
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Smith, Lt Col Dan L, Carlisle Bks, Pa, to 9135th TSU, Ft Lee, Va.

Harkins, Lt Col Basil A, Memphis, Tenn, to 9780th TSU Ft Office OC Cm C, Baltimore.

Reichel, Lt Col Michael J, Ft Leavenworth, Kans, to USAREUR.

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Savoy, Capt August T, New Orleans, La, to 9211th TSU Det No 2, Charleston Trans Depot, North Charleston, SC.

Davis, Capt Raymond P, Wash, DC, to Stu Det CGSC, Ft Leavenworth, Kans.

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To SFPE, Ft Mason, Calif

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From Ft Eustis, Va:

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From Ft Eustis, Va

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Cosgrove, 2d Lt William C, 27th Trans CarCo, Ft Benning, Ga.

Farris, 2d Lt Richard D, 500th Trans CarCo, Ft Knox, Ky.

Faulk, 2d Lt Ray H, 500th Trans CarCo, Ft Knox, Ky.

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Montgomery, 1st Lt James A, Ft Bragg, NC.

Gilligan, 1st Lt Carl M, Armor, pd (80%): Rel fr Med Hold Det Walter Reed AMC, Wash, DC.

Roskosky, Maj Elsie K, WMSC, upon appl; Rel fr Ft Devens, Mass.

Bromet, Capt Elbert, QMC, pd (60%); Rel fr Med Hold Det Walter Reed AMC, Wash, DC.

Roberts, CWO Frank I, removed from temp disb ret list (perm pd 80%).

To OFFICERS TEMP DISABILITY RET

Dorobiala, Henry, Wash, DC, to 8933d TSU, Washington Courier Tr Sta, Wash, DC.
Barno, Michael F, Ft Monmouth, NJ, to 75th AAA Bn Andrews AFB Wash, DC.

Gresham, Wenford E, Cp Stoneman, Calif, to 1st Armd Div, Ft Hood, Tex.

Pettyjohn, William J, Chicago, to 5012th ASU Sta Cen, Ft Sheridan, Ill.

Coffin, James H, New York, NY, to 9135th TSU QM Tng Comd, Ft Lee, Va.

Butterfield, Earl, Cp Pickett, Va, to Stu Det CIC Cen 8579th AAU, Ft Holabird, Md.

Hayes, James M, Wash, DC, to HQ Det ASA Alaska 8614th AAU, Ft Richardson, Alaska.

Fraser, Earl R, Ft Bliss, Tex, to USA Elm SHAPE 8651st AAU, Paris, France.

Chapman, William G, Ft Bragg, NC, to USAFFE.

To USAREUR

From station indicated:

Eustein, Louis, San Francisco, Calif.

Tibbitt, John H, Ft Campbell, Ky.

Fabian, Isaac P, Cp Irwin, Calif.

WARRANT OFFICERS (JG)

Handley, Claude H, Cp Stoneman, Calif, to AFF Bd No 1 OCAFF 8576th AAU, Ft Bragg, NC.

Hall, Robert M, Cp Pickett, Va, to Stu Det CIC Cen 8579th AAU, Ft Holabird, Md.

North, John E, Cp Pickett, Va, to 417th Engr Avn Brig.

Scott, Charles H, Ft Bragg, NC, to 1124th ASU Sta Com Hq Boston Army Base, Boston, Mass.

Shehan, Francis R, Aberdeen, Md, to 4009th ASU Ft Sam Houston, Tex.

Johnson, Major M, Cp Stoneman, Calif, to 1st Armd Div, Ft Hood, Tex.

Bowin, Willard C, Cp Polk, La, to 54th Sig Co, Ft Hood, Tex.

Alcorn, Edwin H, Ft Jackson, SC, to USA-RAL.

Snider, Joseph D, Cp Stoneman, Calif, to 9204th TSU NO POE, New Orleans, La.

Kane, John W, Yuma, Ariz, to USAFFE.

To USAREUR

From station indicated:

Calderon, William C, Swarthmore, Pa.

McDonald, James J, South Park Mill Res, Pa.

Croyle, Ellsworth, Jr, Killeen Base, Tex.

RETIRED

Kaminsky, Col Joseph, Ord C, upon appl; Rel fr Flagstaff, Ariz.

Nelson, Lt Col Lawrence A, TC, upon appl; Rel as Col; Rel fr Ft Lawton, Wash.

Birney, Lt Col David T, MSC, upon appl; Rel fr El Paso, Tex.

Donahue, Lt Col Francis G, TC, removed from temp disb ret list (perm disb 90%).

Waguespack, Maj Fenwick E, AGC, upon appl; Rel fr New York, NY.

Van Dellen, Maj Clarence H, Inf, pd (50%): Rel fr Med Hold Det, Letterman AH, San Francisco.

MacDonald, Maj Henry J, QMC, upon appl; Rel fr San Francisco, Calif.

Cox, Maj Thomas E, QMC, pd (100%); Rel fr Med Hold Det Walter Reed AMC, Wash, DC.

Bromet, Capt Elbert, QMC, pd (60%); Rel fr Med Hold Det Walter Reed AMC, Wash, DC.

Gilligan, 1st Lt Carl M, Armor, pd (80%): Rel fr Med Hold Det Walter Reed AH, Wash, DC.

Roberts, CWO Frank I, removed from temp disb ret list (perm pd 80%).

OFFICERS TEMP DISABILITY RET

LIST

Billy, Capt Michael, QMC.

RESIGNED

Shap, Maj John F, MC.

Watkins, Maj Donald R, MC.

Creditor, Maj Morton C, MC.

Walker, Capt Richard H, Ord.

Cassidy, Capt John C, Armor.

Tharp, Capt Blucher S, Jr, Art.

Colson, Capt Charles S, Art.

Brown, Capt Maj G, ANC.

Barger, 1st Lt Cyrus P, Inf.

Helton, 1st Lt Clinton, SigC.

PROMOTED IN RA

To Captain

Cowell, George B, Inf.

Zerzan, Charles J, Jr, Cp Gordon, Ga.

To 1st Lieutenant

Jensen, R W, Art Spivey, R V, QMC

Osgood, R B, Jr, Arm Weber, R J, Sig C

Sanders, N W, Jr, CE Woods, G H, Jr, Inf

Horton, D H, MSC Mastriola, G H, MSC

TEMPORARY PROMOTIONS

To Lt Colonel

Capile, G H, Jr, Inf Pickle, T M, AGC

Griffin, J C, Inf Feeney, P F, QMC

McEnany, F R, Art Roque, F T, MC

Smitherman, W E, Scanlan, J J, Arm

Sandy, M/Sgt F A

Platt, Sfc Dominick

White, Sfc Astin R

Walker, Sgt Donald

Webster, Sgt G H

Bruce, Cpl Edward E

Briley, M/Sgt J V

Evansek, M/Sgt E P

Godfrey, M/Sgt R E

To Major

Blythe, H W, SigC Kindervatter, K J,

Harding, C D, Inf WAC

To Captain

Brown, O V, Art Jaffurs, W J, MC

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Sims, T A, Jr, Inf Davis, W D, Inf Drury, O P, FC

Duskin, E W, Inf Ellis, H N, SigC Granath, C, MSC

Graves, C S, Inf Holland, D B, OrdC

Johnson, T L, TC Johnson, T L, TC

Kubby, R S, CE McEnroe, J E, MC

Mead, B T, MC Metosh, C P, Inf

Miller, R L, Art Mosher, E R, SigC Paul, D K, Inf

Perugini, M F, SigC Rice, J P, Inf

Prichard, C D, Arti Tobin, B F, MI

Strube, B M, WAC Thomas, P A, Jr, MC

Tobin, B F, MI Villodas, A A, Arti

Wisman, J F, MC Wisman, J F, MC

Worley, J A, TC Broaddus, E W, Inf

Brunk, E L, Arti Tobin, B F, MI

Card, R E, Inf Finnegan, F T, FC

Foster, T G, Arti Hart, J A, TC

Lauck, M C, AGC Lauck, M C, AGC

Miller, C E, QMC Miller, C E, QMC

Sanders, D, Jr, AGC Sanders, D, Jr, AGC

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REG AF PROMOTIONS CONFIRMED—

To Lt Colonel

Myszewski, Chester F
To Major
Dean, Floyd R Harris, Jack H
Flinton, James R Larson, Leon H, Jr
Fritchman, Curtis C Bienvenu, Patrick X
Gay, Robert E

To Captain

Rhoads, William C

To 1st Lieutenant

Stanton, Richard R McCargar, Lolare
Harper, O F Jr, MSC Coy, Edwin A
Danowski, D D, NC Kincaid, Wm L
Madigan, Albert W

TEMPORARY PROMOTIONS—

To Lt Colonel

Rooney, John E, DC Conant, Carl C
Free, Glenn H, DC Shubin, Murray J
Vance, Cecil W, DC O'Connor, Denis P
Martin, Lucy L McElhanon, Wm E
Merritt, Wm F, MSC Golden, Bob I
Steffens, A C M, Chc Anderson, Wm A
Slawson, M O, Chc Barry, John G, Jr
Criser, George A Reap, Cyril J
West, Robert W Workman, Bryant A
Thompson, Francis N Koenig, Sebastian B
Burpee, Chas D, Jr Trimble, Harry W
Colt, Hamilton Williams, Harry G
Brandau, Otto H Walker, Richard G
Gilbert, Clarence L Siford, Lynn D, Jr
Meadows, Stanley I Mahon, August C
Pheips, Donald L Traut, Edward A
Donohue, Timothy W Jacobson, Richard K
McConnell, Chas H McFarlane, Chas J
Hardy, Robt B Tanassy, Emil G
Runyan, Samuel H Brown, Henry W
Blake, Rulon D Nash, Herbert E
O'Reagan, John P Demai, Nicholas, Jr
Berglund, Lawrence O Gurnow, Joseph W
Welch, Fredrick H Cannon, John H, Jr
Kay, Kenneth E Salmon, Delbert J
Trommershauser, J Hunt, Earl G
Erickson, B W Thie, Alton C
Caplo, Fred, Jr Hurley, Edward P
Searle, J H Wardle, John H
Powell, Arlyn S Chandler, Jas A
Garrett, W A Provancha, Geo J
Leffler, George V O'Neil, George K
Boozer, Jack J Grady, Stephen J
Barnum, Abner J Perry, Jas W, MSC
McCoy, Clarence M Schult, H G, MSC
Phillips, F G Rider, Wm D, DC
McDonald, S W McCloskey, Zita L, NC
Tower, Carroll T Short, Hubert T, MSC

PERMANENT APPOINTMENTS—

Warrant Officer (Jg)

Gorman, Leo F (reapmt) w/rank fr 15 Nov 48; eff on date of acpt of apt will be promoted to temp CWO.

SEPARATIONS—

Sutherland, Lt Col Floch, 1st Lt Byron D
Clarence R Moline, 1st Lt E E

DISCHARGED—

Dipetrillo, Capt N C Chacon, 1st Lt Jose A

RETIRED AIRMEN RELED FROM AD—

Parent, M/Sgt Rody P Homyk, M/Sgt Nick

AIRMEN RETIRED—

Sweeney, M/Sgt L W Welch, M/Sgt Wm H
Vick, A/1C Herbert C Didjulis, M/Sgt A
Salter, M/Sgt Fred E Stephens, M/Sgt H R
ret as 1st Lt Balazs, S/Sgt Steve
Hathaway, M/Sgt R S Higgins, S/Sgt Jno G
Sohrweide, M/Sgt GR Pye, S/Sgt Harry L
Bragg, M/Sgt Robt M Jordan, M/Sgt L E
Coen, M/Sgt Ray Gamble, S/Sgt L W
Hanberry, M/Sgt Wy- Machan, S/Sgt Jack E
burg M Mayo, A/2C Rex E
Higgins, M/Sgt C W Baldwin, A/3C Lee G,
Simpson, M/Sgt L M Jr

AIRMEN ON TEMP DISAB RET LIST—

Hickman, S/Sgt D R Allen, Phillip K
Schroll, A/1C W P Levicke, A E, Jr
Balle, A/3C Neal E Fugett, T/Sgt H B
Adamowicz, M/Sgt J Purvisance, S/Sgt G H
Hamlin, M/Sgt M H Caldwell, A/1C T L
McGough, M/Sgt D J Dolinski, A/1C W R
Berwager, A/2C J C Garza, A/1C G G
Nudd, S/Sgt W W Willis, A/1C A C
McKinney, A/1C A L Wright, A/1C H O
Peters, A/2C A, Jr Bradley, A/2C R
Cotta, A/B Thos, Jr Brooker, A/2C W
Milne, S/Sgt Acie Hixson, A/2C Karl W
Bulavage, A/1C F A Szylkowski, A/2C R J
Pessell, T/Sgt R M Uveges, A/2C Stephen
Saxon, A/2C Jas D

New C. O. At Grandview

Col. Richard F. Weltzin, Inspector General at Headquarters, Central Air Defense Force, since 1951, has assumed new duties as commander of Grandview AFB, Mo., and also as commander of the 4676th Air Defense Group.

Colonel Weltzin succeeded Col. W. A. Schulgen, who was transferred to a CADF staff assignment.

NAVY

Secretary—Charles S. Thomas
Under Secretary—Thomas S. Gates
Asst. Secretary for Air—James H. Smith, Jr.
Asst. Secretary—Robert H. Fogler
CNO—Admiral Robert B. Carney

Captain

Allen, Robert A, Dir of Tng 5ND; to AstCofS for Pers 5ND.
Azer, John B, Res Coordinator in the Res Supply; to Dir of Tng 5ND.
Brandley, Frank A, Staff CinCAFMed; to CO USS Hornet.
Brown, John T, CO USS Cabot; to CO NAS CorpC.
Coggins, Cecil H (MC), LOFF Staff SACEUR; to NavHosp Mare.
Copeland, Richard G, Plans and Operations Off JusMAG Greece, Athens; to CO USS Caliente.
Corbin, Clifford T, Pres GCM 3ND; to Com NavB Davisville.
Crowley, John D, AstCofS for Operations 11ND; to CO USS Tolvana.
Dennett, Erle V, ComSubGruTwo ChasnGru; to 6ND.
Flits, William W, 12ND Tem; to CO NavSta Orange.
Frates, Frank E, Jr (DC), SecondMarDiv FMF; to NAS NorVa.
Greene, Richard O, BuAer; to Cofs and Alde ComFAirJax.
Griffin, John H, SenAvOff JAIRDefBd Ent AFB ColoSprings; to NavRep for Proj Lincoln MIT Bsn.
Grouliff, Paul H, AstCofS for Administration 5ND; to Compt 5ND.
Hilt, John J (DC), NavSub Base Pearl; to MareNavShipYd.
Innis, Walter D, Neim Tem; to OpNav.
Irons, Hayes E, Plans and Operations Div of JStaff ClinCarib; to CO NAS Hutch.
Johnson, Robert B (MC), NavHosp Oak; to NavHosp GLakes.
King, Charles E, LogisticsOff Staff ComNav Ger; to OperationsOff Staff ComPhibGru One.
Krick, Donald F, Staff ClinCPacFit; to CO USS Melette.
Krieger, John E (DC), Third MAW; to Dental Off Puget Sound NavShipYd.
Lockwood, Robert E, CO USS George Clymer; to Staff ConNavFe.
McLaren, Earle K, CO USS Tolovana; to Dir PersDept WestSeaFront.
Miller, Daniel B, CO USS Vulcan; to Prof of NavScience NROTCU Oregon State.
Moore, Walter A, Jr, BuShips; to NavWar Col Npt Dulns.
Munholland, John, CO USS Grand Canyon; to ComSubGru One TexGru.
Myers, Jacob C, NavMin Countermeasures Sta PanFla; to CO Same Sta.
Nickelson, William R D, Jr, DepCofS JStaff ClinCarib; to 8ND.
Noble, Easton B, CO USS Jupiter; to CO NavSta MidwayIs.
Randecker, Victor W (NR), CO NAS Lincoln; to RAD.
Redden, Richard F (DC), Puget Sound Nav ShipYd; to NavSub Base Pearl.
Rowe, Hilary C, ChNavSec MAAG Belgium Brussels; to Cofs and Alde ComDesFlot Three.
Ruble, Harold E, BuShips; to Staff ClinC Nelm.
Searles, William M, Bd of Decorations and Medals NavDept; to NavHosp Treat.
Shaffer, John N, CO Clarksville Base; to Com DesDiv 242.
Sooy, David A, Cofs and Alde NavSta Kwajalein; to CO NAS Dallas.
Sutherland, Leonard B, CO USS Lake Champlain; to Cofs and Alde CNATra NAS Pncla.
Vilecelli, James D (MC), BuMed; to NavSta NavBase Npt.

Commanders

Allen, Joseph S, NAS PNCLA; to USNAV PGSCOL.
Barackman, Bruce M, OFC of JAG NAV DEPT; to USS LAKE CHAMPLAIN.
Barry, Richard F, Jr, CO USS CHARLES P CECIL; to USNA ANNA.
Beall, Elvyn J (NR), 5ND; to RAD.
Champion, Charles H, FLEWEACENTRAL NAS NORVA; to USS GRAND CANYON.
Chester, William H, STAFF CINCPACFLT; to NAVAVN SAFETY ACTY NAS NORVA.
Clark, Sam E, Jr, JPHIB BD LCREEK; to USS SIBONEY.
Condon, Robert J (DC), NAVHOSP GUAM; to CHASNAVSHIPYD.
Cown, Julian B (NR), US NAVADGRU ROK NAVY; to LBEACHNAVSHIPYD.
Dlekoff, Arnold H, NROTCU UNIV OF MISS; to USS CARRITUCK.
Dunstan, Thomas K, CO USS HYADES; to 3ND.
Ellington, Albert M, CO UTRON SEVEN; to USS PRINCETON.
Elliott, August W, Jr, CO ATAKRON 195; to OSD WASHDC.
Fields, Archie R, CO FASRON 12; to OP NAV.
Fleck, Harold R (NR), PRNC TEM; to PRNC.
Forward, Richard B, UTWINGPAC; to CO UTRON SEVEN.
Gage, Kenneth L, ACSS MAXWELL AFB ALA; to NAVMARIANAS.

MARINE CORPS

Commandant—Gen. Lemuel C. Shepherd, Jr.
Asst. Comdt.—Lt. Gen. Gerald C. Thomas

Colonel

Buse, Henry W, Jr, HQMC, Wash, DC; to MCRD, PI, SC.
Riley, Thomas F, HQMC, Wash, DC; to MCS, Quantico.
Lantz, William F, MSC, Quantico; to Overseas.
Enright, William K, MCB, CamLej; to NTC, Great Lakes.
Weber, John E, 1stMCR&RD; to MB, NB, Bremerton, Wash.
Murray, Raymond L, MCS, Quantico; to MCB, CamLej.

Lt. Colonel

Bachtel, Robert D, Overseas; to MCAS, El Toro.
Bales, Thomas O, Overseas; to MCAS, Miami.
Blackmun, Arvid W, Overseas; to AirFMF Lant, NavBase, NorVa.
Dyer, James R, Overseas; to MCAS, El Toro.
Frank, Louis L, Overseas; to MCAS, Miami.
Hollar, Frank E, Overseas; to HQMC, Wash, DC.
McReynolds, William, 5thMCR&RD; to MCS, Quantico.
Partridge, John H, FMFLant, NorVa; to MCS, Quantico, Va.
Siversten, Warren S, 1stMCR&RD; to FMF Lant, NorVa.
Blackwelder, Harry J, Overseas; to MCAS, CherPt.

Major

Albers, George H, MCS, Quantico; to Air FMFPAC, El Toro.
Baird, Robert, MCS, Quantico; to MCAS, CherPt.
Bush, Elwood D, MCS, Quantico; to MCAS, El Toro.
Hunter, Ovis D, MCS, Quantico; to MCAS, El Toro.
Kennedy, Donald, MCS, Quantico; to Air FMFLant, CherPt.

EIGHT GUAM DETACH; to NAVANTRACOM NAS CORPC.
Cox, Charles M (NR), OFC of SUPSHIP USN AND NAVINSORD BALTO; to PHILANAVENTHPYD.
Drea, Andrew R, UNIV of PITTSBURGH; to GULF OIL CORP PGH TNG.
Farrell, Richard M, CO NAVADVUNDERSEA WEAPONSCOL NAVB KWEST; to CO USS PLATTE.
Hines, Edward C, Jr, SECONDFLT; to USS ROANOKE.
Ingerslew, Donald B, THE ICAF WASHDC; to USS ESSEX.
Jones, Wesley F, UNIV of PITTSBURGH; to STANOIL COMPANY OF CALIF SFTRAN TNG.
Loval, John C (NR), NYNAVSHIPYD; to LBEACHNAVSHIPYD.
Lovell, Kenneth C (CEC), UNIV of PITTSBURGH; to PHILLIPSPEL COMPANY BARTLESVILLE TNG.
Martin, Jack D, NAS ATSUGI; to USNAVPGCOL MONTEREY DUINS.
McIntosh, Robert W, DESLAN; to CO USS PURSE.
Millard, Robert C, NAAS MONTEREY; to AWC MAXWELL AFB ALA DUINS.
Miller, Jack A, OPNAV; to USS HORNET.
Ownby, Thomas J (DC), NAVDENTAL CLINIC NAVB BKLYN; to USS WISCONSIN.
Purdon, Eric S (NR), JSTAFF USCINCEUR; to 1ND.

Ralston, Harold J (DC), NAS OCEANA VIRGINIA BEACH; to NAVSTA ARGENTINA.
Ramage, James D, COMCARAIRGRU 19; to CO COMPRON THREE.
Rawls, William A, NAAS SAUFLEY FLD PNCLA; to NABATACOM NAS PNCLA.
Redington, Edward D (NR), ELCT DEPT GLAKES; to BUSHIPS.
Richardson, John W, Jr, (CEC), NAS BRUNSWICK; to NAVSTA TRINIDAD.
Schratz, Paul R, OPNAV; to USS NEREUS.
Speirs, Carl L, NAVSCOL PREFLT NAS PNCLA; to COMPRON FOUR.
Stevens, Victor G (CEC), CO NAVMCB TWO; to OIC NAVCIV ENGINEERING RSHC AND EVALUATIONLAB NAVBCBN PORHUE.
Swedson, Edward C, SFRANAVSHIPYD; to BUSHIPS.
Taylor, Frank W, PHIBLANT; to LBEACHNAVSHIPYD.
Weiss, Arnim M, ACLANT; to ELCT DEPT GLAKES.
Allen, Arthur A, STAFF CINCPACFLT; to 12ND.

Anderson, Ellwood A (NR), RESIDENT SUPSHIP USN AND NAVINSORD STURGEON BAY; to RESIDENT SUPSHIP USN AND NAVINSORD BAY CITY.
Butow, Ernest E (NR), USNAVPGCOL MONTEREY; to NAAS MONTEREY TEM.
Freedman, Albert S, Jr, CO USS HALSEY POWELL; to NGF WASHDC.
Graham, Selwyn H, Jr, (NR), 11ND: ALUSNA AND ALUSNA FOR AIR BANGKOK.
Guthrie, Alfred R (SC), SPCC MECH: 10 NORVAGRU.

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Hearn, Ormond E (NR), NMISTESTCEN PT MUGU; to NRL WASHDC.
Hoffman, Glen E, NAVANTRACOM NAS CORPC; to USS FLOYDS BAY.
Holway, Richard T (MSC), BUMED; to NAVPREVENTIVE MEDU NR SIX.
Kelm, William J, BAR ALLISONDIV GENERAL MOTORS CORP INDPLS; to NAS LAKEHURST.
Reece, Hubert B, BUSHIPS; to PHIBLANT.
Ruder, Frederick J, OPDEVFOR; to JSTAFF USCINCEUR.
Schroeder, Frederick J, OFC OF ALUSNA LONDON; to BUAER.
Weart, Herbert C, CO PATRON TWO; to NMISTESTCEN PAXRIV.
Wells, Henry H, Jr, (CHC), USS WISCONSIN; to NAVHOSP MFS.

Lieutenant Commanders

Adams, Carl W, BLOCORTFOR; to NAAS MONTEREY.
Alexander, John S, CO USS THOMPSON; to OPNAV.
Ascher, David (NR), NAS NIAG; to RAD.
Bachman, Kenneth P (MC), NAVHOSP ST ALBANS LI; to NAVADUNIT LAKE MEADE LAS VEGAS.
Bartolomei, Aldo (MSC), NAVMED AND DENTAL SUPDEP EDGEWATER; to CHEATHAM ANNEX NSC NORVA WILLIAMSBURG.
Bramante, Anthony S, NATECHTRACEN NAS JAX; to AIRDEVRON FOUR.
Brock, Clarence C, Jr, USS IREX; to CO USS BECUNA.
Broom, Harley H, BUAER; to AIRLANT TEM.
Buddington, Robert L (NR), USS LST 1158; to USS COLONIAL.
Carter, Maynard C, FAIRQUONSET; to NATECHTRACEN NAS JAX.
Chamberlain, Francis E, CO NAVMARCOR RESTRACEN PITTSFIELD; to USS MONTEREY.
Chassman, Wesley E, USS PARICUTIN; to COMMNAVFE SPECIAL SUPFGRU.
Cleaves, Richard D (CHC), NAVRECASTA WASHDC; to USS HOWARD W GILMORE.
Crain, Robert F, NAVSTA MIDWAYIS; to AIRPAC TEM.
Creekmore, Edmund W, BUAER; to AIRLANT TEM.
Dau, Arthur P (MSC), 4ND; to BUDEM.
Detwiler, Willard S, Jr (NR), NAVADVANCEDB TACTRACEN DAVISVILLE; to USS NORTHAMPTON.
Douglas, Harold C, AIRTRANSRON 23; to NAVANTRACOM NAS CORPC.
Ellis, Nell L, BUORD; to USS MISSISSIPPI.
Felder, George, Jr, (CHC), USS HOWARD W GILMORE; to MARCORCRUITDEP PARRIS.
Ferdinand, Stephen A (MSC), PEARLNAV-SHIPYD; to NAVSTA LBEACH.
Fritz, Charles W, USNAVPGSCOL MONTEREY; to PRINCETON UNIV DUINS.
Garrison, Paul B, NMATCEN PHILA; to USS HORNET.
Gewertz, Manning, FLETRAGRU GTMO; to NAVCOMMSTA SAN FRANCISCO SFRAN.
Herndon, Glenn A, BUAER; to NAVSEC MAAG UK LONDON.
Keane, Timothy J (NR), NAS SOWEY-MOUTH; to RAD.
King, James U, FLEACT YOKOSUKA; to OIC CRUITNOP MPLS.
Lewis, Ramon C (MSC), NAVHOSP KWEST; to 4ND.
Lindberg, Donald S, COMPRON SEVEN; to BUAER.
Love, John J, Jr, PHILANAVSHIPYD; to CO USS SPIKEFISH.
McHenry, Robert E, OFC OF BAR EL SEGUNDO DIV DOUGLAS AIRCRAFTCO; to AIRPAC.
McNamara, Henry J (NR), OFC OF IND-MAN 8ND; to RAD.
Mee, Edward J (DC) (NR), NAVSTA NAVB NPT; to RAD.
Morris, Murrill C, OPNAV; to NAVCOMMSTA BOSTON BSN.
Odum, William B, NAVADVANCEDB TACTRACEN DAVISVILLE; to USS THOMAS-TON.
Owen, James C, USS RANDOLPH; to NAVPIC NAVRECASTA WASHDC.
Parks, Clyde R (DC), FASRON 10; to NAD HAWTHORNE.
Rodgers, Harry S, OPNAV; to AIRLANT TEM.
Russillo, Alfred G, CO USS TOUCAN; to BUPERS.
Rustad, George A (MSC), NAVSTA LBEACH; to NAVHOSP SDIEGO.
Small, David B, USS NEW KENT; to AIRPAC TEM.
Snyder, Edwin K, USS CATFISH; to CO USS IREX.
Sodt, William C, Jr (CHC), THIRDMARDIV FMF; to NAS CORPC.
Stiller, Roger A (NR), NAVUNDERWATER ORDSTA NPT; to BUORD.
Swan, Charles W, OFC OF BAGR CENTRAL DIST WPAFB OHIO; to AIRLANT TEM.
Switzer, David L, AIRTRANSRON TWO; to OIC AIRTRANSRON TWO HONOLULU DETACH.
Switzer, Robert E (MC), NAVHOSP BETHESDA; to NAVHOSP PORTSMOUTH, VA.

Taylor, Donald C, NAF DAHLGREN; to AIRTRANSRON THREE.

Umberger, Bernard S, AIRPAC; to BUAER.
Ward, Felix E, Jr, COMPRON 35; to AIRPAC.

Weeks, John M, BUORD; to AIRLANT TEM.
Westray, William H, BUAER; to AIRDEVRON ONE.

Woolley, Jewell B, NAVPHIBTRAU NAVPHIB BASE LITTLE CREEK; to USS LAKE CHAMPLAIN.

Cook, Raymond L, NAS MFTFLD; to AIRLANT TEM.

Edmonds, Ernest J, USNA ANNA; to NAVCENT.

Freeman, Frank, 11ND; to NAVCOMMSTA SDIEGO.

Hansen, Lilo G, AIRTRANSRON EIGHT; to NMISTESTCEN PT MUGU.

Kopfier, William F (CEC) (NR), ASTOCC-ELM LONDON; to NAVMCB THREE.

Poirier, Lyle B (NR), FASRON 76; to RAD.
Sagen, Alvin O, AIRTRANSRON 21; to OFC OF BAR EL SEGUNDODIV DOUGLAS AIRCRAFT CORP.

Vaughn, Allen A, USNA ANNA; to CO USS TILEFISH.

Adams, William L, 12ND; to AIRPAC TEM.

Albritton, Jesse M, Jr (SC) (NR), NAVSTA ROOSEVELT ROADS; to NSD SEATTLE.

Bell, Gordon C (MSC), NAVSCOLSCOM NAVSTA TI SFRAN; to USNAVPGSCOL MONTEREY.

Blasingame, Powell M (CEC) (NR), ASTRO-ICC NOY CONTRACTS JAX; to RAD.

Boehm, Casper R, USS WHITE MARSH; to OPNAV.

Flores, Edward, USS PLATTE; to 9ND.

Greenwell, Martin D, NATECHTRACEN NAMATCEN PHILA; to AIRPAC TEM.

Hefflin, Edward A, OPNAV; to AIRLANT TEM.

Hickman, Charles R, USS COLLETT; to USS JAMES E KYES.

Hoyt, Leroy L, PUGET SOUND NAVSHIPYD; to NAVGRU JAMMAT ANKARA.

Johnson, Knute A, MSTSOF/NACON OF SHIPPINGOFC KOBE; to NAVSCOLSCOM NAVSTA TI SFRAN.

Kemper, Reuben J, FLETRAGRU WESTERNPAC; to USS LOGAN.

McCort, John W, BUAER; to AIRLANT TEM.

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Slocum, Winfred S, III, SERVFOR SIXTHFLT; to BUPERS.

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SERVICE FAMILY NOTES



ELMENDORF AFB, ALASKA. Mrs. Charles E. Wilson, left, wife of the Secretary of Defense, and Mrs. Thomas S. Gates, Jr., right, wife of the Under-Secretary of Navy, chat with Mrs. J. H. Atkinson, center, wife of the Commander-in-Chief, Alaskan Command, at the Chateau of Elmendorf Air Force Base, during their brief stop 12 May. They are accompanying their husbands on a three-week inspection trip to the Far East.

THE Industrial College of the Armed Forces Women's Club, Ft. Lesley J. McNair, Washington, D. C., had as honor guests for their final luncheon of the academic year, the wives of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Mrs. Radford, Mrs. Carney, Mrs. Twinning, Mrs. Ridgway, and Mrs. Shepard were in the receiving line together with Mrs. W. McL. Hague, wife of the ICAF Commandant, and Mrs. O. J. Ritland, Club President.

Among many other special guests of the individual club members were the wives of the Chiefs of the Branches, USA. They included Mrs. Cummings (OrdC), Mrs. Back (SigC), Mrs. Young (T.C.), Mrs. Sturgis (C.E.), Mrs. Caffey (J.A.G.C.), Mrs. Bergin (A.G.C.), and Mrs. Maglin (M.P.C.).

The after luncheon speaker, Mr. Morgan Beatty, N. B. C. news analyst, was introduced by Mrs. C. I. Davis, program chairman. His subject concerned "Signs of the Times."

Table decorations, artistically arranged and designed by Mrs. E. J. Hale, carried out the "one world" motif in keeping with Mr. Beatty's theme. The hostess chairman, Mrs. W. A. Davis, had as her assistants Mrs. Donald Diehl, Mrs. J. J. Hudleston, Mrs. S. E. Ruehlow, and Mrs. C. D. Shuman.

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Ridgways Hosts to 200—

The Army Chief of Staff and Mrs. Matthew B. Ridgway welcomed to their quarters at Ft. Meyer, nearly 200 guests last Saturday—members of the Diplomatic Corps, the Cabinet, Congress, and residential society, with of course, a preponderance of members of the Armed Forces.

Among the guests was Mrs. Walter Bedell Smith, whose husband, the Under Secretary of State was in Geneva; also the new Deputy Secretary of Defense and Mrs. Robert Anderson, the Commandant of the Marine Corps and Mrs. Shepherd, Jr., and General and Mrs. Jacob L. Devers.

Gen. & Mrs. Thomas Entertain—

Assistant Commandant of the Marine Corps and Mrs. Gerald C. Thomas have with them their daughter and her husband, Lt. Col. and Mrs. J. C. Bruder of Camp Lejeune, N. C. General and Mrs. Thomas entertained at a small informal dinner Tuesday evening.

Fete Miss Stone—

Miss Georgie Lydia Stone will be married to Mr. John Hooyer of Gross Point Farms, Mich., June, and from now till then she and her parents, Air Force Comptroller, Lt. Gen. Charles B. Stone, III, and Mrs. Stone, have a full schedule of parties in her honor. Mrs. Richard Lindsay, wife of Maj. Gen. Lindsay and Mrs. Morris Lee, wife of Maj. Gen. Lee gave a luncheon for her Tuesday. Next Tuesday Mrs. Morris Harbold and Mrs. Samuel E. Anderson are to be her hosts at another luncheon.

Mrs. George Mundy and Mrs. Robert F. Tate will give a similar party 29 May.

Mrs. Thomas Is Guest—

Mrs. Charles S. Thomas, wife of the Secretary of the Navy, was guest of honor at the 11 May luncheon of the Navy Supply Corps Officers' Wives Club of Washington, held at the Army-Navy Country Club.

During the hour before the luncheon, guests were greeted by Mrs. Thomas and the officers of the club: Mrs. Murrey L. Royar, president, and wife of Rear Admiral Royar, Chief of the Bureau of Supplies and Accounts, Mrs. Walter W. Honaker, Vice President, and wife of Rear Admiral Honaker, Deputy and Assistant Chief of the Bureau of Supplies and Ac-

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counts, Mrs. Albert F. Ryan, Jr., Executive Chairman, and Mrs. Gordon M. Callison, Luncheon Chairman.

Finance Wives Meet—

The May meeting of the Finance Officers' Wives Club will be held 27 May at the Ft. McNair Officers' Club. Results of the election for 1954 will be hostess chairman and will be assisted by Mrs. C. A. McIntosh and Mrs. G. E. Bremner.

Bu Ships Wives Meet—

The Bureau of Ships and Engineering Duty Officers' wives in the Washington area held their second luncheon of the year at the Army-Navy Country Club on 12 May. Mrs. Robert L. Swart was chairman for the affair and Mrs. Ralph K. James was in charge of reservations.

Mrs. Paul W. Pfingst, chairman of the decoration committee, was assisted by Mrs. Richard Mandelkorn and Mrs. James Small. Others who served in various capacities were Mrs. Wendell E. Kraft, Mrs. William A. Dolan and Mrs. James M. Farrin.

Mrs. Hall's Home Show—

On 6 and 7 May the new country home of Mrs. Douglas Hall was one of the ten homes shown on the "Pilgrimage of Beautiful Homes," sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce of Decatur, Ala. Mrs. Hall is the widow of Col. Douglas Hall, MSC, USA.



SALZBURG, AUSTRIA.—A program of Austrian folk songs and dances was presented by the USFA Engineer Wives at the May meeting of the Salzburg Women's Club in the ballroom of the Kavalier Haus. Titled "Dirndltag in Grizing," for the famous Viennese wine center, the program was arranged by Mrs. Irmi Konetzny-Dean (left) wife of Mr. James H. Dean of the USFA Engineers, as Chairman of the luncheon committee, and presided over by Mrs. Virginia Frolich, (center) wife of Col. A. J. Frolich, USFA Engineers, as mistress of ceremonies. Mrs. Mabel Moore, (right) wife of Lt. Col. L. R. Moore, 7614th Engineers, accompanied Mrs. Konetzny-Dean on the piano.

Club Honors Mrs. Shumate—

Preceding her departure and in honor of Mrs. J. P. Shumate, who was president of the G. I. Wives Club of St. Louis, members of the club entertained her at a luncheon and bridge, at the Officers' Club. The table was decorated with flowers and a miniature Maypole, and Mrs. Shumate was presented with a farewell gift from the members in appreciation of her guidance throughout the year.

After Colonel Shumate's retirement in Washington, they will be on their way to Boulder, Colo., where they will make their home. Mrs. Shumate's mother, Mrs. Charles Niedner, who lives with them, is already there with another daughter.

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Ordnance Ladies Honor Mrs. Eisenhower—

Mrs. Dwight D. Eisenhower was guest of honor at the Ladies Ordnance Association luncheon at Ft. McNair on 19 May, a gala affair winding up a colorful and interesting club year.

The 250 Ordnance ladies and their guests were seated at tables decorated with pink peonies and white iris in silver bowls and the Army String Trio provided music throughout the luncheon. The Army's famous swing harpist, Pvt. Lloyd Lindroth, was soloist.

Cmc Wives Sponsor Dance—

The Chemical Corps Wives' Club will sponsor their annual benefit dinner dance on 28 May, at the Magnolia Room, Hunting Towers, Alexandria, Va.

This dance will benefit the Soldiers, Sailors, Marines, and Airmen's Club. Hostesses are Mesdames William H. Greene, Louis T. Lazzarini, and Roy E. Branson.

CEC Wives Final Luncheon—

The Naval Officers' Wives Club of the Civil Engineer Corps is planning its final luncheon meeting of the season for 3 June. The meeting is to be held at 12:30 p.m. at the Army-Navy Country Club.

Mrs. Amelia Gude Thomas has been invited to talk on flower arranging.

Mrs. E. J. Feltier is the chairman of hostesses and Mrs. B. F. Burch (phone Jackson 5-7469) is in charge of reservations.

Mrs. O'Neill Heads USCG Wives Project—

The Washington Chapter of the Coast Guard Wives Club will hold a benefit Nautical Festival from 3 to 8 p.m. today, 22 May, on the grounds of the Coast Guard radio center located on Telegraph Road about eight miles southwest of Alexandria, Va.

Proceeds of the Festival will be used by the Wives Club for charitable work. In the past the Club has contributed to Coast Guard Welfare, Soldiers, Sailors, Marines and Airmen's Club, Children's Convalescent Home and the Society for Crippled Children, and to the purchase of Christmas gifts for needy children.

Visitors should turn right of U. S. Highway 1, about two miles south of Alexandria, to Kings Highway, which leads to Telegraph Road.

Mrs. Merlin O'Neill, wife of the Coast Guard Commandant, is the general chairman of arrangements.

Weddings and Engagements

ADM. and Mrs. Frank Trenwith Ward, Jr., announce the engagement of their daughter, Jane Carolyn, to Midshipman S. J. Shaffran, ward of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Froman of Denver, Colo.

The wedding will take place 17 July at (Continued on Next Page)



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MRS. DAVID MELVIN HILDRETH, the former Miss Marcia Elizabeth Cunkle, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Austin Curtis Cunkle, was married on 15 May at Ft. Myer, Va., to Mr. Hildreth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Davis Hildreth.



MISS ANITA MORGAN GREELEY daughter of Col. and Mrs. Brendan McKay Greeley, USA, of Ft. Knox, Ky. and San Antonio, Tex., will be married 12 June at Ft. Knox to Lt. James Alfred Howden, son of Mrs. James Howden of Manokin, Md., and the late Mr. Howden. Miss Greeley, an alumna of Villa Maria, Lima, Peru, is a graduate of Maryville College of the Sacred Heart, St. Louis, Mo.

MRS. JOHN ELLIS COON was Miss Margaret Lea Gettys, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Charles W. Gettys, before her marriage on 15 May to Captain Coon.

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MISS ELEANORE VASSELLI, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Vasselli of West Orange, N. J., will be married on 5 June to Maj. Phil DeMuro, USAF. Miss Vasselli is a graduate of Georgian Court, N. J. Major DeMuro is a graduate of Virginia Tech and at present is Assistant Professor of Air Science at the Georgia Institute of Technology.

date in Yokohama, Japan, when Miss Dolores Sandoval, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Sandoval, of Tijuana, Mex., will become the bride of Robert T. Johnson.

The groom-elect, an engineering major, who claims the University of Alabama as his alma mater, met his fiancee while serving at the NAS in Atsugi, Japan. Miss Sandoval is a WAC on duty in Yokohama. She received her education in Guadalajara and in Mexico City.

Mr. Johnson's home is in Birmingham, Ala., and his parents are Mr. and Mrs. Herman Johnson of that city.

PASSMORE-CHRISTIAN — Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Orlean Christian, of Storrs, Conn., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Marion Virginia Christian to 1st Lt. Hunter William Passmore, son of Mrs. George Hunter Passmore and the late Lt. Col. Passmore, also of Storrs. A late summer wedding is planned.

Miss Christian is a graduate of Wellesley College and is a student at the Graduate Library School of the University of Illinois. Lieutenant Passmore was graduated from St. John's Military Academy in Delafield, Wisc., and from the U. S. Military Academy. He is stationed at Fort Benning, Ga.

DAY-NOBLE — RAdm. Kenneth Hill Noble, USN-Ret., and Mrs. Noble of Washington, D. C. and Anne Arundel County, Md., announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Hill Noble, to Mr. Douglas Turner Day, III, the son of Capt. D. Turner Day, USN, and Mrs. Day.

Miss Noble was graduated from the Gunston School, at Centreville, Md., and is graduating this June from Sweet Briar College.

Mr. Day attended Episcopal High School in Alexandria, Va., and will be graduated from the University of Virginia this year. After graduation Mr. Day will be commissioned a Lieutenant in the Marine Corps. His father is Commanding Officer of the U. S. Naval Station, Trinidad, British West Indies.

The wedding is planned for early July.

COON-GETTYS — On 15 May Miss Margaret Lea Gettys, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Charles Wesley Gettys, became the bride of Capt. John Ellis Coon, son of Mrs. Marjorie Coon.

The double-ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Leo R. Fohl in St. Mary's Church.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of candlelight satin, fashioned with long-sleeved, sculptured bodice and bouffant skirt with a cathedral train. Her veil of handmade Venetian lace over illusion fell from a sequin and seed-pearl crown. She carried a cascade

bouquet of gardenias and stephanotis centered with cymbidiums and wore a string of pearls, a wedding gift from the groom.

Mrs. Richard W. Holeman, cousin of the bride, of Radburn, N. J., was matron of honor. Mrs. Bernard P. Overton was the attendant.

The flower girls were Mary Ann Clark and Carol Jean Clark, daughters of Lt. Col. and Mrs. James B. Clark.

Maj. Carroll R. O'Neill served as best man. Ushers were Lt. Col. Nicholas Paraska, Lt. Col. James B. Clark, Capt. John F. Barrett, and Warrant Officer Henry G. Ludwin.

The Virginia Polytechnic Institute Chapter of the Pershing Rifles provided the traditional arch of sabers for the bride and groom as they left the church. The bride's father, Colonel Gettys, is Professor of Military Science and Tactics at the Institute.

Following the ceremony a reception was held by the bride's parents at the V.P.I. University Club.

PORTO-OLIVER — One of San Diego's most brilliant weddings took place on 8 May when Miss Doris Mary Oliver became the bride of Lt. Comdr. Jose F. Porto, USN.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Oliver. Her father gave her in marriage. The Rt. Rev. Laurence Forrester officiated at St. Joseph's Cathedral.

The bride's blonde coloring was complimented by her exquisite Empire gown of pink satin with brief train. A coronet of lace and satin held her veil which further carried out the blush color scheme. She carried a white prayer book topped with a quaint nosegay combining white orchids, stephanotis and sweet-heart rosebuds.

Mrs. John M. Athaide was the bride's honor matron and chosen as bridesmaids were two sisters-in-law, Mrs. N. L. Oliver and Mrs. R. L. Oliver; Misses Rose Marie Alessio and Mary Porto, the groom's sister.

Frank Porto, of Richmond, Calif., was the best man and the bride's two brothers, husbands of the bridesmaids, were ushers as were John Athaide, Alvin Rosa and Alfred Rodriguez.

From the church the guests adjourned to Hotel del Coronado where the bride and groom, her parents and Mrs. Manuel Porto, mother of the groom, received the guests at a reception in the grand ball room.

Upon their return from a honeymoon in Canada, Lieutenant and Mrs. Porto will be at home at Oak Harbor, Washington, where the officer is on duty.

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FT. SILL, OKLA. — Officers and committee chairmen were named at the organizational meeting of the new Officers' Wives' Club 14 May. In the first row are the officers; in the second are committee chairmen; Left to right in front are: Mesdames E. D. White, W. L. Kindred, H. E. Liebe, Charles E. Hart, D. C. Rasco, A. C. Martin, and J. J. Donohue. Left to right in the second row are: Mesdames H. D. Wilcox, Jr., C. B. Elliott, P. J. Smith, A. N. Slocum, C. G. Isenberg, J. R. Hector, A. E. Fort, and Mrs. M. L. Green. (Please turn to Next Page)

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FT. MEADE, MD. — Mrs. C. A. Langford (center) was recently elected President of the Woman's Club. She is the wife of Colonel Langford, Executive Officer of The Comptroller Section here. Left, is Mrs. F. L. Parks, wife of Lt. General Parks, Commanding General, Second Army, and right, Mrs. T. V. Stayton, former President of the Woman's Club, and wife of Brig. General Stayton.



ANNAPOULIS, MD. — Members of the Naval Academy Women's Club, at their final meeting of the season, review costumes symbolizing the various programs during the year. Left to right: Mrs. Howard G. Corey, who represented her husband Captain Corey, Severn River Naval Command Chief of Staff; Mrs. John S. Lewis, representing India and the talk given by Mr. Obaidur Rahman of the Indian Embassy; Mrs. William L. Kitch as Ester Van Wagener Tufty; Mrs. Theophilus H. Moore as VAdm. James L. Holloway, Jr.; Mrs. Walter T. Jenkins represented the April meeting at which Mr. Tomio Mori of the Japanese Embassy spoke. In the back are Mrs. Joseph K. Taussig as Lt. (now Capt.) Richard Still, USMC, and Mrs. Lester Moore who symbolized the Fashion Show given in January.

Mrs. Hart Heads New Wives' Group At Ft. Sill; All Services Are Represented

■ FT. SILL, OKLA. A new club was formed 14 May when more than 100 officers' wives met to organize the Officers' Wives' Club.

Mrs. Charles E. Hart, wife of Major General Hart, Commanding General of the Artillery Center, was named honorary president of the new organization.

Mrs. H. E. Liebe was named president. Other officers included Mrs. D. D. Rasco, vice-president; Mrs. A. C. Martin, secretary; Mrs. J. J. Donohue, assistant secretary; Mrs. W. L. Kindred, treasurer, and Mrs. E. D. White, assistant treasurer.

Chairmen of the various standing committees were also named during the organizational meeting. They included the following: Mrs. H. D. Wilcox, Jr., Program; Mrs. C. B. Elliott, Membership; Mrs. A. N. Slocum, Project; Mrs. P. J. Smith, Ways and Means; Mrs. J. R. Hector, Liaison; Mrs. W. H. Hoover, Hospitality; Mrs. C. W. Matheny, Publicity; Mrs. D. E. Means, Nominating, and Mrs. C. G. Isenberg, Foods committee.

A 10-article constitution was approved and adopted by the ladies present for the meeting. The constitution provides that the wife of the commanding general shall serve as honorary president of the club for the duration of her stay at Ft. Sill. The other officers will be elected and installed annually at the last meeting of the club year.

Prime objectives of the club are to promote and unify the interests and activities of the women of Ft. Sill and to sponsor any worthwhile activities of the post.

The club's advisory board will include the honorary president, the regularly elected officers, general officers, wives stationed on the post, and the retiring president, who will serve as an additional member of the board during the year following her term as president.

Starting with the first Friday in October,

the club will meet on the first Friday of each month through June, which ends the club year.

Membership is open to wives and female members of the family of any officer who is eligible for membership in the Ft. Sill Officers' Open Mess; officers' wives residing in the vicinity; wives of retired officers of the Army, Navy, Air Force and Marine Corps, Army nurses and WAC officers.

The last meeting of each club year has been set aside as a business meeting for the election and installation of officers.

Mrs. M. L. Green presided at the first meeting of the club until the slate of officers had been approved, after which she turned the meeting over to Mrs. Liebe. Mrs. Hart made a brief talk during the meeting. Acting secretary was Mrs. A. E. Fort.

HOUSEHOLD PAMPHLET

The Army has prepared a new pamphlet on shipment of household goods.

DA Pamphlet 55-2, Household Goods Shipment Information, will be included in all orders involving a permanent change of station of personnel entitled to shipment of household goods.

The Army said in Circular 46 that "such personnel are encouraged to obtain a copy of this pamphlet and/or consult with the local transportation officer before making any arrangements for disposition of their household goods."

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Honor Gen. & Mrs. Robinson

■ TREASURE ISLAND, CALIF. Mrs. Ray A. Robinson, wife of Marine General Robinson, Department of the Pacific, was honor guest of the Treasure Island Naval Officers' Wives' Club at its 19 May meeting. The Robinsons are leaving soon for a new post at The Hague.

Wives of active Reserve officers planned the luncheon, chairmaned by Mrs. Lon Thomas. She was assisted by Mrs. John Mockrish, Mrs. Roy Reed, Mrs. Harry Haues-

ter and Mrs. Charles Elliott. The Elizabeth Arden Salon presented a program on beauty care and fashion after the luncheon.

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"FT. McPHERSON RANGE" AIDS CHARITY

The current best seller at Headquarters Third Army is not concerned with the usual subject of military science and tactics. It's a new 400 page, cartoon illustrated cook book entitled *The Fort McPherson Range*.

Published by the Woman's Club for the benefit of charity, "*The Range*" is dedicated to Mrs. A. R. Bolling, wife of Third Army Commanding General Lt. Gen. A. R. Bolling, in appreciation of her work and interest in all the welfare projects sponsored by the women of the post.

Soldiers, Army wives, WACs, nurses, and many Atlantians alike are currently absorbed in the kitchen developing their culinary ability with the help of "*The Range*." Besides, many of these amateur chefs are beaming with the pride of authorship as their favorite recipes appear among the book's pages, reproduced exactly as they were submitted — in the contributors' own handwriting!

The first edition is going fast, according to Mrs. W. H. McNaul, president of the Ft. McPherson woman's Club. Orders for the cook book may be sent to her with only \$1.50 (postage excluded) to Qtrs. 7-W, Ft. McPherson, Ga. It may also be purchased on the post at the library, cafeteria and post exchange.

In addition to the usual soup, salad, vegetable and meat sections, the book also boasts a section of recipes collected by Army wives from 18 foreign lands. Much of the most unique cookery advice comes from the officers and enlisted men on the post.

"The Army Wife"

■ FT. MONROE, VA. Ten members of the Officers' Wives' Club presented a skit called "The Army Wife" at the monthly luncheon of the Hampton Roads Port of Embarkation Officers' Wives' Club held 5 May.

The skit, written and directed by Mrs. Ward S. Ryan, deals humorously in song and verse with the many problems faced by Army wives. In the cast with Mrs. Ryan were Mrs. John W. Jennings, Mrs. John R. McLean and Mrs. H. I. Lukens, dancers; Mrs. G. B. Markle IV, Mrs. Harold Broady, Mrs. R. B. Kister and Mrs. F. F. Wilkins. Mrs. W. E. Besse was the pianist and Mrs. Robert E. Hand assisted with the staging.

Hostesses for the luncheon, at which the cast were guests, were Mrs. Robert W. Neal, chairman, Mrs. Leland F. Cubbage, Mrs. Douglas R. Umstead and Mrs. Eugene W. Cornwell, Jr. Mrs. William C. Parker was in charge of the program.

Cite Lt. Col. Augusta Short

■ FT. SAM HOUSTON, TEX. Lt. Col. Augusta Short, Director of Nursing Service for the Fourth Army, was one of four headliners honored recently in San Antonio, Tex., by Theta Sigma Phi, national fraternity for women in journalism.

Colonel Short has been in the service for 28 years, having been graduated from the Army School of Nursing at Walter Reed Army Hospital in 1926. Prior to taking her nursing training, she received her bachelor of arts degree from George Washington University in Washington, D. C.

As director of nursing service for the Fourth Army, Colonel Short has six hospitals under her supervision.

Signal Wives End Season

■ PHILADELPHIA, PA. The Officers' Wives' Club of the Signal Corps Supply Agency, Pa., has held its last luncheon of

the 1953-54 season. The guest speaker, Mrs. Charles S. Simpson, gave a review of "The Army Wife."

Among those attending the meeting in the Agency's dining room were Mesdames Clifford A. Poutre, Robert L. Fleming, Jr., James S. Willis, wife of the commanding general, Stewart Welsh, and Charles Simpson.

Chaplain Jewell Joins Tomahawk

■ HQ. U. S. 2D DIVISION, KOREA. Chaplain (Maj.) Fred J. Jewell has been appointed regimental chaplain for the 2d Infantry Regiment. He succeeds Chaplain (Capt.) Herbert E. Saxman, who is rotating to the states.

While assigned to the 511th Infantry Regiment at Ft. Bragg, N. C., Major Jewell attended the Parachutist School and has since made 42 jumps. Prior to joining the Indianhead Division in April, Chaplain Jewell served with a United Nations unit in Seoul.

Col. Hubbard's Son To USMA

■ CARLISLE BARRACKS, PA. Harry J. Hubbard, II, son of Col. Harry J. Hubbard a student at the Army War College, will enter the U. S. Military Academy in July. He was appointed to the Academy, after placing fourth in the Presidential Competitive Examinations, by Representative Ken Regan (D-Tex.) of the 16th Congressional District.

Last Meeting At Myer

■ FT. MYER, VA. The Women's Club will hold its last meeting of the year at Patton Hall, 27 May. The main item of business will be election of officers for the coming year.

For the program, Miss Christine Zlatin of The Helena Rubinstein Salon will lecture and

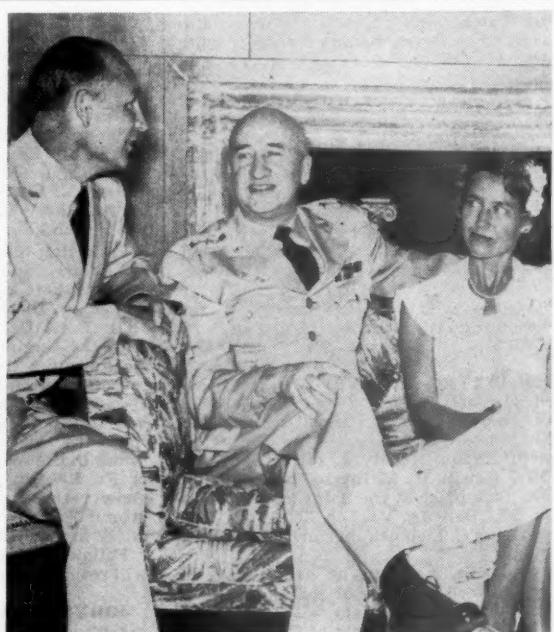
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DENVER, COLO.—Hosts

at a reception given during Armed Forces Week at the Denver Country Club were Brig. Gen. Richard L. Scott, (left), Commander of the Air Force Finance Center in Denver, and Mrs. Scott (right), who are shown with Maj. Gen. John R. Gilchrist, Director of Finance, Hq USAF, (center). General and Mrs. Scott will come to Washington early in August, with his assignment to Hq USAF as Deputy Director of Finance. At that time, General Gilchrist will assume command of the Air Force Finance Center in Denver, in addition to his Director of Finance duties.

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MANHATTAN, KANS.—Community Service Project of the Air Force ROTC Officers' Wives Club of Kansas State College, has been outfitting the new Riley County hospital there with bedside table thermos bottles. Members of the club, whose husbands are officers assigned to the K-State Air ROTC wing, held rummage sales and other money-making enterprises to finance their project. Club members, left to right, are Mrs. James Griffith, Mrs. Milford F. Itz, wife of the professor of air science and tactics; Mrs. Howard Malchow, Mrs. Richard LeMar, Mrs. Charles Coffman, Mrs. Lou Larson, Mrs. Carl Wells, and Mrs. James Swinehart.

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demonstrate on Skin Care and Make-up. Hostesses for the day will be Mesdames Robert L. Fair, John L. Mohl, Hilton Geoghegan, Joseph B. Love, Joffre H. Boston, James L. Atkins and Freeman V. Horner.

Slate Engineer Fete

■ FT. BELVOIR, VA. The 179th Anniversary of the Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, will be celebrated this year at another formal dinner of Engineer officers to be held at The Engineer Center, 19 June, in the Speaker Field House, beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Col. Herbert Milwitz, chairman of the Engineer Dinner Committee, and Commanding Officer of The Engineer Research and Development Laboratories here, has extended a cordial invitation to all present and former engineer officers to attend the celebration. Cost of the dinner will be \$3.50 per person.

Held each year by the Corps of Engineers, this dinner has been the occasion for important gatherings of engineer officers from all parts of the country. Last year, some 500 officers attended the event, where Maj. Gen. S. D. Sturgis, Jr., was the principal speaker. General Sturgis is the Chief of Engineers.

Maj. Gen. Arthur W. Pence, Commanding General, The Engineer Center, will welcome the guests this year. Maj. Gen. Bernard L. Robinson, Deputy Chief of Engineers, will address the assembly and Col. Kingsley S. Andersson, Chief of Staff, The Engineer Center, will be toastmaster.

Col. Stanley R. Kelley, Assistant Chief of Staff, G-3, here, announced the participation of the Ft. Belvoir 356th Army Band in the Anniversary Dinner.

Calif. Army Relief Meets

■ SAN FRANCISCO. The annual meeting of the California Branch, Army Relief Society, was held recently in the home of the president, Mrs. Frederic B. Butler in Sea Cliff.

Officers were elected as follows: President Mrs. Frederic B. Butler; 1st Vice President, Mrs. Lloyd C. Parsons; 2d Vice President, Mrs. Ralph E. Haines; Secretary, Mrs. John R. Culleton, all of San Francisco, and Treasurer, Mrs. Ray Ross of Palo Alto. Directors included Mrs. Edgar B. Colladay, Burlingame; Mrs. Ernest J. Dawley, Carmel Valley; Mrs. James A. Dorst, Berkeley; Mrs. Girville L. Field, San Francisco; Mrs. Samuel L. McCroskey, Santa Monica; Mrs. Clarence E. Partridge, San Francisco; Mrs. Fred B. Waters, San Diego; and Mrs. Charles K. Wing, Palo Alto. Committee chairmen are: Relief, Edgar B. Colladay; Membership, Mrs. Lloyd C. Parsons, and Public Relations, Mrs. Ralph E. Haines.

A vote of thanks for their long and faithful service was given the following out-going officers: Secretary, Mrs. John W. Sheehy, Palo Alto; Treasurer, Mrs. Benjamin C. Lockwood; and Vice President, Mrs. Ralph Brush, both of Menlo Park, Calif.

Visit Augusta Arsenal

■ AUGUSTA ARSENAL, GA. Capt. Roy V. Stone, of Waynesboro, Ga., and 1st Lt. Ellsworth A. Stockbower, of Spring House, Pa., visited the Arsenal this past week. Captain Stone and Lieutenant Stockbower were Ordnance officers assigned to duty at the Arsenal during WW II.

Gen. Bell Is Guest

■ PICATINNY ARSENAL, N. J. Brig. Gen. W. L. Bell, Jr., Commanding General, was the guest of the Technical Division Association at its 29th annual banquet, 20 May. When the Association was organized almost 30 years ago the entire Division consisted of only 50 employees. Today the Association lists more than 800 members. The banquet is one of the Arsenal's outstanding annual social affairs.



Mrs. Thoma Elected At Lee

■ FT. LEE, VA. Mrs. Daniel P. Thoma has been selected to head the Women's Club for the coming year. Assisting Mrs. Thoma will be Mrs. Herbert D. Sargeant as vice-president, Mrs. Hugh Kevin as secretary, and Mrs. Thomas Yoder as treasurer.

An impressive installation ceremony was staged at a recent luncheon as old officers of the organizations pinned corsages on the incoming officers. A standing ovation was given Mrs. H. L. Peckham, honorary chairman of the Women's Club, who will leave here soon. Also honored during the afternoon was Mrs. Gordon Davis, senior club hostess, who received a savings bond from the Women's Club in appreciation of all the assistance she had given the group during the past year.

Miss Ann Jordan, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Lewis P. Jordan was honored at a bridal shower at the Folly Castle in Petersburg 12 May. Hostesses for the occasion were Miss Helen Jordan and Miss Julie Daugherty.

Farewells were said to ten women at a luncheon given 6 May by Mrs. William Pheris and Mrs. C. B. Henderson. Guests of honor were Mesdames H. L. Peckham, Don Wardle, John Smillie, T. T. Brown, John Brenchley, Ralph Barlow, Austin Miller, Harry Sommers, Leonard Akers, and J. Ramsey.

Quinns' Wedding Anniversary

■ AUBURN GENERAL DEPOT. Col. and Mrs. Michael A. Quinn of the Auburn General Depot, U. S. Army, celebrated their 35th wedding anniversary on Sunday, 25 April. The previous Friday evening they were honor guests at a cocktail party given by the Officers' Club at the depot. A silver and coral color scheme was used at the table which held the appropriately decorated wedding cake, which the honor guests cut with a sabre.

One son, Lt. Michael H. Quinn, now stationed in Japan, was unable to be present, but their other children, Thomas, Patricia, Mary Ellen, James and Richard were with their parents for the occasion.

The Quinns were married in Manila in 1919. Years later they were again stationed there and when Bataan fell, Colonel Quinn was taken prisoner of the Japanese, so that on their silver wedding anniversary, Mrs. Quinn's most prized gift was a telegram from the War Department stating that a short-wave broadcast from Japan had been intercepted, in which Colonel Quinn sent remembrances for their silver wedding anniversary.

Patrick's Top Keglers

■ PATRICK AFB, FLA. Members of the Women's Club Bowling League met last week for luncheon when trophies were presented to members of the winning team for the Spring Bowling Session, and to other high average bowlers.

The women completed the Spring bowling session recently. The "Lucky Strikes" finished in first place. Members of the team are Mesdames Harlow B. Hart, Eugene A. McKenzie, A. H. Grinstead, Jr., Robert Stell and James Lowe.

Trophies were also presented to the five bowlers who had the highest averages. They are Mesdames Wallace L. Boyd, George E. Kegin, John J. O'Donnell, Richard K. McIntosh and Herbert E. Turner. The trophy with the high single game average without handicap will also go to Mrs. O'Donnell, and Mrs. Turner will also receive the trophy for the high average for three game series. Mrs. Robert B. Good will present the trophies.

Winners in the final bowling session last week were Mrs. Valdean Watson, Mystery prize; Mrs. Robert L. Schoenline, low series, Mrs. Asa B. Gibbs, High single game with and without handicap, and Mrs. Gibbs, Mrs. Watson, and Mrs. O'Donnell, turkey trotters.

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BALTIMORE, MD.—Mrs. J. B. Rippere (left), outgoing president of the Air Research and Development Command Women's Club, is presented with a silver tray by Mrs. B. G. Moll, newly elected president, in a brief ceremony at Friendship Airport following the annual Club elections. Others named to office included Mrs. J. C. Shewmake, first vice president; Mrs. L. R. Mapes, second vice president; Mrs. J. J. Pellegrini, recording secretary; Mrs. H. W. Webster, corresponding secretary and Mrs. R. A. Diaz, treasurer.

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FT. LEE, VA.—During the recent visit of Maj. Gen. Kester L. Hastings, Quartermaster General of the U. S. Army, and Mrs. Hastings to the Post, Mrs. Hastings visited the Post Nursery, where little Lonnie Jo Stetzman poured tea for her. The playhouse and its furnishings are part of the new equipment installed in the nursery playground recently by the Ft. Lee Women's Club.

Approve "Insurance" For Household Goods

A form of insurance has been approved by the Senate Armed Services Committee to cover commercial ocean shipment of household effects of military personnel.

At present, individuals entitled to ocean shipment at Government expense normally have no voice in the manner of shipment, whether by Government or commercial vessel. When the shipment is made by commercial vessel and it is necessary to sacrifice part of the ship or cargo to save the residue and the lives of those on board, the loss must be borne by the individual if his household effects go over the side.

The Committee favorably reported H.R. 2225, which requires the Government to pay "insurance" (or general average contributions) on household goods shipped by commercial vessel.

The provision does not apply to household effects in excess of authorized quantities, and no payments would be made in cases where military personnel are allowed a commutation in lieu of the actual transportation expenses or in cases where Service personnel select their own means of shipment.

The Defense Department informed the Committee that the cost of the legislation will average about \$30,000 annually.



SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF. The new board of the Navy Officers' Wives Club, Treasure Island, left to right, front row: Mrs. Roy Williams, President, and Mrs. Howard Collins, Vice-President; back row: Mrs. Joseph Barnwell, Treasurer, and Mrs. Charles Phillips, Secretary.

Field Day At Rutgers

■ NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J. The 60th annual Rutgers University Military Field Day, held here on 14 May was highlighted by the presentation of awards to 38 outstanding members of the State University's 1,465-man Reserve Officers Training Corps.

Cadet Col. John G. von Jess was named the "Best Airman" at the University and Cadet Col. William F. Doliber, Jr., and Cadet Major John J. Byrne, Jr., were cited for outstanding contributions in furthering the Army and Air Force ROTC programs, respectively.

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Honor Dutch Visitors

■ ANNAPOLIS, MD. VAdm. and Mrs. C. Turner Joy gave a reception at the officers' Club on 14 May in honor of the Captain and officers of Her Netherland's Majesty's Ship "De Zeven Provincien," which was anchored in Annapolis Harbor over the week-end. Capt. G. B. M. Van Erker entertained at luncheon Sunday on board ship, and later in the afternoon he, with the ship's officers, held an "at home."

The Joys were hosts at luncheon on 12 May in the Superintendent's quarters in honor of VAdm. Scott-Moncrieff, RN, his Chief of Staff, Captain Curry, RN, and RAdm. Kenmore M. McManus, USN, and Mrs. McManus of Washington, D. C. The party reviewed the Regimental Full Dress Parade, celebrating Armed Forces Day.

Capt. C. W. Shilling (MC), USN, and Mrs. Shilling entertained Tuesday, 11 May, at their quarters for about 40 guests.

RAdm. and Mrs. Earl Sackett and Cdr. H. C. Rust of Coronado, Mrs. Wallace Dillman and daughter Dana of Beverly Hills, and Capt. and Mrs. William Gailbraith of Lemon Grove, Calif., were among those who came from the West Coast for the reunion of the Naval Academy Class of 1920.

RAdm. and Mrs. William Sinton of Pensacola, and Mr. and Mrs. Oakleigh Repple of Boulder, Ohio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Ten Eyck; Prof. and Mrs. George N. Dusinberre, of State College, Pa., and Capt. and Mrs. William L. Eagleton of Newport, R. I., were guests of Capt. and Mrs. W. A. P. Martin. About 150 class members participated in the festivities which came to a close Sunday at a picnic luncheon at the St. Margaret's home of Maj. and Mrs. John Greer.

Last Meeting At Brooke

■ BROOKE AH, TEX. The last meeting of the winter season of the Brooke Army Hospital Women's Club was a breakfast 6 May at which Mrs. John Isherwood, Mrs. Joseph Batch and Mrs. Seth Craft and the ladies of the Radiology, Orthopedic and Administrative services were in charge of arrangements.

The wives of the departing hospital residents and interns shared honors with Mrs. Martin E. Griffin, wife of the Commanding General of Brooke Army Hospital.

Two Scholarship Winners

■ ARMY CHEMICAL CENTER, MD. C. B. Drennon, III, son of Col. and Mrs. C. B. Drennon, Jr. and a Bel Air (Md.) High School senior, won two scholarships. One is a \$3,500 five-year scholarship at Cornell University, School of Engineering. This grant is based on college recommendations and scholastic standing during four years of high school.

The other is a \$50 award from the National Honor Society of the Association of Secondary Schools. Known as the Phi Beta Kappa of High School, this award carries great prestige. Nine thousand students in the United States, Hawaii, Germany, Japan, Puerto Rico, Alaska, Mexico and the Canal Zone with a "B" average or better took the examination, which is given each year. According to the Bel Air High School guidance counselor, Miss Mary Anna Powell, this is

considered one of the most difficult examinations given.

Colonel Drennon, Chief of the Munitions Division, Chemical & Radiological Laboratories, leaves ACC next month for an overseas assignment in Europe.

Second Army Rifle Champs

■ ABERDEEN PROVING GROUND, MD. The APG Rifle Team recently bested 22 competitors at Ft. Meade to win the Second Army Championship, the first time in the history of APG that a rifle team has returned with the Second Army crown. The Proving Ground pistol squad won second place behind Ft. Lee.

The local sharpshooters recorded 922 points, 20 better than the second place team. The match was open to 100 competitors from the Army, permanently stationed within the Second Army Area; 50 competitors from the other military services, stationed within the Second Army Area; and 50 civilian residents of Delaware, Kentucky, Maryland, Ohio, Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Virginia.

Sfc. Chester Hamilton, D&PS, won first place in the Army Commander's Individual Rifle Match. Capt. William Brophy, who was captain and coach of the APG riflemen, took a second in the West Virginia Match, while Pvt. Robert Miller racked up a second place in the Ohio Match.

Members of the trophy winning rifle squad were the following: Captain Brophy, M/Sgt. Otto S. Hanek, Sergeant Hamilton, and Pvt. Robert Miller.

Adieu To Robinson

■ DENVER COLO. Bidding adieu to Brig. Gen. and Mrs. Paul I. Robinson were members and wives of the staff at Fitzsimons Army Hospital at a farewell dinner 8 May.

Table decorations featuring a Good Luck motif of gold horseshoes, four-leaf clovers and forget-me-not place cards were planned by Mrs. Jos R. Creitz and her committee, consisting of Mesdames Robert E. Selwyn, Robert L. Schock, Jack Houser, Arthur F. Lincoln and David Powers.

Seated at the honor table with General and Mrs. Robinson were Col. and Mrs. John F. Patton and Col. and Mrs. H. Beecher Dierdorff. Colonel Patton, who was a fellow student with General Robinson through high school and medical college acted as Master of Ceremony for the evening. Colonel and Mrs. Dierdorff's son Lt. H. Beecher Dierdorff, Jr., was married to Jane Robinson last summer.

Third Cluster For Capt. Kennedy

■ CARLISLE BARRACKS, PA. Maj. Gen. George W. Smythe, Deputy Commanding General of Second Army, was principal speaker at a V-E Day observance held on Dickinson College campus in Carlisle, Penn. on 8 May.

Before delivering his address, General Smythe decorated Capt. William C. Kennedy with a third Oak Leaf Cluster to the Bronze Star for his gallantry in Korea. Captain Kennedy is Assistant PMS&T at Dickinson College.

Hood Hosp. Accredited

■ FT. HOOD, TEX. The high honor of "full accreditation" has been given to the U.S. Army Hospital here by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Hospitals, whose member organizations include the most distinguished medical associations in the United States and Canada.

Announcement of this outstanding award came in a letter from Dr. Edwin L. Crosby,

director of the Joint Commission, to Col. Milford T. Kubin, commanding officer of the hospital.

"Full accreditation by the commission," said Colonel Kubin, "is an honor which all hospitals strive for. It means that we have been judged to have the same high standards as all the best hospitals, both civilian and military, throughout the country. This recognition reflects great credit on our hospital staff for the commendable and outstanding work they have been doing."

Gen. Loucks At M.I.T.

■ CAMBRIDGE, MASS. The Deputy Chief Chemical Officer of the Army, Brig. Gen. Charles E. Loucks, was a guest of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology on the occasion of its annual observance of Military Day on 12 May. General Loucks is an alumnus of the Institute, having received the Master of Science degree in Chemical Engineering from the school in 1931.

During a joint Army-Air Force awards ceremony and review parade, General Loucks presented the medal given by the Armed Forces Chemical Association to the outstanding Junior ROTC cadet majoring in Chemical Engineering. Cadet 2d Lt. Gary Brooks was the recipient of the award.

The M.I.T. Faculty Club was the scene of a luncheon given in honor of General Loucks. Among the 15 guests attending were: Dr. E. H. Huntress, Dean of the M.I.T. Graduate School; Drs. Harold Weber and Thomas Sherwood, Professors of Chemical Engineering at the Institute; and Honorable William A. Cross, prominent Boston attorney.

Small Bore Champs At Sill

■ FT. SILL, OKLA. Trophies have been presented to winners of the post indoor tournament for small bore rifles by Maj. Gen. Charles E. Hart, commanding general of the Artillery Center.

Winning team was from the Artillery School Command, with a score of 2,667. Capt. A. J. McClure accepted the team trophy.

Runner-up was the 17th FA Group team, with 2,601. Lt. John W. Turpin accepted the trophy.

Two Sillmen received trophies for high aggregate scores. They were Sfc. J. E. Kelley, who placed second with 278 and Lt. J. W. Eckhart, with 273, who was fifth. Other winners are no longer at Sill.

Individual trophies also went to members of the winning team. They included Capt. McClure, Lt. Eckhart, Lt. L. M. Takahashi, M/Sgt. F. C. Devall, Sfc. L. W. Wiggs and Sfc. R. L. Crouch and Sfc. Kelley.

Brig. Gen. Samuel G. Conley, Deputy G-3, Office Chief of Army Field Forces, and eight other OCAFF officers conducted the annual inspection of the Artillery School and the Army Aviation School.

Three new artillery units have been assigned to Ft. Sill from Camp Folk, La. They are the 187th FA Group, commanded by Col. Frank L. Street; the 598th FA Battalion, commanded by Lt. Col. Edward C. Walter, and the 200th AFA Battalion, with Lt. Col. Donald K. Morris commanding.

Top Man At Armor School

■ FT. KNOX, KY. The 88 members of Armor Officer Basic Class Number 6 were graduated 14 May.

At the graduation ceremony, Col. Henry C. Newton, Acting Assistant Commandant of The Armored School, congratulated the men and wished them good luck.

Colonel Newton introduced Brig. Gen. J. R. Beishline, Assistant Division Commander, 3d Armored Division, who was the guest speaker at the event. The General's topic was "Leadership." He spoke of the essential factors constituting good leadership and its results.

Brig. Gen. Beishline presented the certificates and personally congratulated each graduate. 2d Lt. William W. Jenney, Jr., graduated with the highest honors in the class. He is assigned to the 509th Tank Bn. at Ft. Hood, Tex.

Graduating second in the class of 88 was 2d Lt. Harold F. Claus, Jr., who is assigned to the 3d Armored Division. Third ranking grad was 1st Lt. James C. Pennington, also of the 509th Tank Bn. at Ft. Hood.



FT. BENNING, GA. — Two Columbus high school seniors have been named winner and runnerup in the first of a series of annual \$400 scholarships established by the Ft. Benning chapter of the Daughters of the U. S. Army. Ellen Charlotte Mifflin, right, of Columbus High School, was announced winner and Verna Beth Ballard of Baker High School was runnerup. Miss Mifflin is the daughter of Col. Thomas Mifflin, director of The Infantry School's Weapons Department, and Mrs. Mifflin. Miss Ballard is the daughter of M/Sgt. Alton R. Ballard, a member of Company A, Infantry School Detachment, and Mrs. Ballard.

Mrs. Peer Heads Beaumont Group

■ WILLIAM BEAUMONT AH, TEX. The Women's Club held a luncheon, conducted a business meeting with election of officers and committee chairmen, and played bridge at their monthly meeting 12 May in the Officers' Open Mess at the hospital.

Mrs. Maurice C. Davidson presided over the business meeting at which the following were elected: President, Mrs. George Peer; Vice President, Mrs. Robert R. Kelley; Secretary, Mrs. H. F. Heslington; and Treasurer, Mrs. Fred J. Herschleder.

Committee Chairmen: Hostess, Mrs. Samuel S. Romendick; Program, Mrs. Eugene J. Faux; Hospitality, Mrs. Carl T. Dubuy and Mrs. Harry J. Adams; Publicity, Mrs. William Clary; Communications, Mrs. Joseph J. Hornsler (Main Post); Mrs. William P. Rupert (Hill); Mrs. Joseph A. Shugart (Town); Mrs. William Lysak and Mrs. James H. Tisdell (Van Horne Park) and Courtesy, Mrs. Richard B. Pedigree.

Installation of officers will take place at the June meeting. Mrs. Abner Zehm, wife of the commanding officer of the hospital, remains the Honorary President of the club.

AF Aid Society Gets Funds

■ CARSWELL AFB, TEX. A "Country Fair" was sponsored by the Officers' Wives Club on 8 May. All proceeds were donated to the Air Force Aid Society.

Each base organization sponsored one or more booths for the event featuring diversified entertainment for the children as well as adults. Festivities for the kiddies included such entertainment as pony rides, a fire engine, make up booth, balloons and refreshments. The grownups found everything to try their luck and skill at from a "Cake Walk" to "Dunk the A.C." followed by dancing in the evening.

Report On Communism

■ NORFOLK, VA. The highlight of the Armed Forces Staff College Women's Club season was presented in Mananas Hall 12 May when the Intelligence Division of the Armed Forces Staff College gave a presentation entitled "The Communist Party."

ONE-MAN SHOW FOR LT. COL. SIMS

An important local art event is scheduled from 23 May to 21 June, when Lt. Col. Harold Sims' one-man water color exhibition is presented by the Wilmington Society of Fine Arts.

One-man shows, however, are nothing new for Colonel Sims. Early in 1946 he held a one-man show at the Loring Andrews Gallery in Cincinnati. That same year he had two other exhibitions. The first was a one-man show at Rockefeller Center, New York City. The second show, in participation with a UNESCO-sponsored exhibit, was held at the Gallery MacGrath in Paris. In 1947, another one-man show was sponsored by the Gallerie Allard in Paris.

Colonel Sims has had one-man shows in the Museum of Fine Arts, Montgomery, Ala.; the Museum of Fine Arts in Dallas, Tex.; and in other American and European cities. His most recent exhibit was held with the National Air Museum of the Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D. C., last year.

Colonel Sims' military assignment is chief of the Graphics Division, Hq. Military Air Transport Service, Washington, D. C.

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Born

ADAMS—Born at Scott AFB, Ill., 14 May, to 1st Lt and Mrs William R Adams, a daughter.

ADCOCK—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala., 2 May, to Lt Col and Mrs James K Adcock, a daughter.

ALVARADO—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va., 11 May, to 1st Lt and Mrs Richard Raphael Alvarado, a daughter.

BEAL—Born at Ft Knox, Ky., 6 May, to 2d Lt and Mrs Don D Beal, a son.

BELLINOFF—Born at Great Falls AFB, Mont., 7 May, to Maj and Mrs Abraham Bellinoff, a son, Robert David.

BRADT—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va., 11 May, to 1st Lt and Mrs Kenneth Harold Bradt, a son.

BRADY—Born at Ft Sill, Okla., 9 May, to Capt and Mrs P B Brady, a daughter.

BURKE—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala., 7 May, to 1st Lt and Mrs Sidney Burke, a son.

BURROWS—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala., 4 May, to WOJG and Mrs Lionel S Burrows, a son, Joseph Sidney.

CHEEVER—Born at St David's Hosp, Austin, Tex., 7 May, to Mr Charles E Cheever (USMA '49) and Mrs Irene, granddaughter of Mr and Mrs H McKinney of El Paso, Tex., and of Col Charles E Cheever, USA-Ret, and Mrs Cheever, of San Antonio, Tex.

COCKERHAM—Born at Lafayette, Ind., 5 May, to Capt and Mrs Sam G Cockerham, a son, John Taylor.

COLE—Born at Langley AFB, Va., 23 Apr., to 2d Lt and Mrs Robert H Cole, a daughter.

COLEMAN—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va., 9 May, to Capt and Mrs Thomas Patrick Coleman, a daughter.

COREY—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va., 13 May, to Lt Col and Mrs George Harrison Corey, a son.

COVENEY—Born at Ft Bragg, NC, 7 May, to Capt and Mrs Robert F Coveny, a daughter.

CUOCO—Born at Ft Jackson, SC, 7 May, to Capt and Mrs Salvatore Cuoco, a daughter.

DONAVIN—Born at Bremerhaven, Germany, 2 May, to Maj and Mrs Kirkwood M Donavin, a son, Draper Pope.

DORSEY—Born in Bremerhaven, Germany, 3 May, to Maj and Mrs Ralph M Dorsey, a daughter Ann Alder.

DUNCAN—Born at Rodriguez AH, Ft Brooke, PR, 10 May, to Lt(jg) and Mrs Richardson D Duncan, a daughter, Judith Ann.

ENSIGN—Born at Scott AFB, Ill., 15 May, to 2d Lt and Mrs George A Ensign, a son, George Ashley, Jr.

FAUCETTE—Born at Ft Knox, Ky., 10 May, to 1st Lt and Mrs John E Faucette, a daughter, Theda Catherine.

FERGUSON—Born at Ft Bragg, NC, 10 May, to 1st Lt and Mrs Alvin L Ferguson, a daughter.

FINK—Born at Ft Knox, Ky., 6 May, to Capt and Mrs Donald F Fink, a daughter, Teresa Ann.

GAVIN—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va., 7 May, to Maj Gen and Mrs James Maurice Gavin, a daughter.

GLASSMOYER—Born at Ft Knox, Ky., 10 May, to 1st Lt and Mrs Robert S Glassmoyer, a daughter, Paula Catherine.

HALLETT—Born at Ft Bragg, NC, 14 May, to Lt Col and Mrs Edward A Hallett, a daughter.

HAMILTON—Born at Langley AFB, Va., 28 Apr., to 1st Lt and Mrs Marvin Hamilton, a daughter.

HANLEY—Born at Langley AFB, Va., 23 Apr., to Capt and Mrs Peter P Hanley, a son.

HARTFORD—Born at West Point, NY, 11 May, to 2d Lt and Mrs Richard Hartford, a daughter, Diana.

HUDSON—Born at Fitzsimons AH, Denver, 9 May, to Capt and Mrs Heber S Hudson, a son.

HUNTER—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala., 8 May, to 1st Lt and Mrs Richard S Hunter, a son.

JACKEL—Born at Ft Monmouth, NJ, 10 May, to 2d Lt and Mrs John E Jackel, a daughter.

JACKSON—Born at Lackland, 9 May, to 2d Lt and Mrs Edmond P Jackson, a son.

JACOBS—Born at Ft Meade, Md., 11 May, to WOJG and Mrs Willie Jacobs, a daughter.

JAKE—Born at Ft Jackson, SC, 10 May, to Lt and Mrs Joseph Jake, a daughter.

JOHNSON—Born at Great Falls AFB, Mont., 3 May, to Capt and Mrs Earl W Johnson, a son, Randall Statler.

JONES—Born at Keesler AFB, 6 May, to T/Sgt and Mrs Arthur Jones, a daughter, Avis Annette.

KANE—Born at Ft Devens, Mass., 6 May, to Capt and Mrs John T Kane, Jr., a son, Eric Allan.

KENNEY—Born at Ft Sill, Okla., 9 May, to Lt and Mrs D E Kenney, a daughter.

LINGAL—Born at Ft Devens, Mass., 7 May, to 2d Lt and Mrs James M Lingal, a son, Craig Richard.

LOCKWOOD—Born at Ft Sill, Okla., 9 May, to Capt and Mrs S M Lockwood, a daughter, Susan Joelle.

LOW—Born at Scott AFB, Ill., 13 May, to Capt and Mrs Charles D Low, a daughter, Susan Joelle.

MCDONALD—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala., 7 May, to Lt Col and Mrs John R McDonald, a daughter.

MCDOWELL—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va., 11 May, to Maj and Mrs William David McDowell, a son, Robert David.

MCGREGOR—Born at Ft Ord, Calif., 4 May, to 2d Lt and Mrs Thomas McGregor, a son, Thomas Thayer, grandson of Col and Mrs Arthur P Thayer, of Arlington, Va., and of Col and Mrs Thomas McGregor, of Pebble Beach, Calif.

MILLER—Born at Ft Bragg, NC, 10 May, to 2d Lt and Mrs Ralph D Miller, a son.

MOORE—Born at Ft Bragg, NC, 10 May, to WOJG and Mrs Claude J Moore, a son.

MORGAN—Born at Ft Riley, Kans., 14 May, to 1st Lt and Mrs Miles E Morgan, a daughter, Linda Lee.

NELSON—Born in Ft Worth, Tex., on 24 Apr., to Maj and Mrs J R Nelson, a son.

NORGREN—Born at Ft Sill, Okla., 6 May, to Lt and Mrs W M Norgren, a son.

PADILLA—Born at Rodriguez AH, Ft Brooke, PR, 12 May, to Capt and Mrs Jaime L Padilla, a daughter, Almee Isabel.

PIERCE—Born in Bremerhaven, Germany, 4 May, to Lt(jg) and Mrs James C Pierce, a daughter, Hildegard Louise.

PRESENDER—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala., 5 May, to Maj and Mrs Robert E Presender, a daughter, Kathy Jo.

PUCKETT—Born at Rodriguez AH, Ft Brooke, PR, 11 May, to Capt and Mrs Ralph Puckett, a daughter, Jean Martin.

RANDEL—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala., 5 May, to Maj and Mrs Hugh Wayne Randal, a son, Hugh Wayne, Jr.

RANKIN—Born at Bethesda, Md., 13 May, to Lt Col and Mrs Robert H Rankin, a daughter, Robin Alison.

RAWLINS—Born in San Diego, Calif., on 3 May, to Lt and Mrs Robert D Rawlins, a daughter, Terry Ann; granddaughter of Capt H H Connelley, USN, and Mrs Connelley, of San Diego and of Mr and Mrs D T Rawlins, of Bethlehem, Pa.

RILEY—Born at Ft Meade, Md., 10 May, to 1st Lt and Mrs War Riley, a daughter.

ROAN—Born at Ft Sill, Okla., 10 May, to Lt and Mrs J Roan, a son.

ROMAN—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala., 4 May, to Capt and Mrs George Roman, a daughter, Patricia Helen.

ROTH—Born at Ft Sill, Okla., 8 May, to Maj and Mrs A Roth, a daughter.

SCOTT—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala., 5 May, to Lt Col and Mrs Oliver M Scott, a son, Jeffrey Wright.

SHARPE—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va., 10 May, to Maj and Mrs Luther Edward Sharpe, a son.

SHOEMAKER—Born at Ft Benning, Ga., 12 May, to Lt Col and Mrs Joseph A Shoemaker, a son, William John.

SKEMP—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va., 12 May, to Capt and Mrs Samuel Charles Skemp, Jr., a son.

SNOGRASS—Born at West Point, NY, 10 May, to 1st Lt and Mrs Clyde W Snodgrass, a daughter, Susan Marie.

SPRADLING—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va., 11 May, to 2d Lt and Mrs Jack LeRoy Spradling, a son.

STANGE—Born at Keesler AFB, Miss., 5 May, to A/B and Mrs William J Stange, a daughter, Marie Robina.

STEVENSON—Born at Ft Sill, Okla., 9 May, to Maj and Mrs F J Stevens, a daughter.

STOESSEL—Born at Vance AFB, Okla., 4 May, to 1st Lt and Mrs David C Stoessel, a son, John Charles.

STONER—Born at Ft Riley, Kans., 14 May, to Capt and Mrs John W Stoner, a son, Gary Alan.

TURNER—Born in Georgetown Hosp, Washington, DC, 9 May, to Maj and Mrs Frank Turner, a son, Kenneth Lloyd.

VAKALIS—Born at Ft Devens, Mass., 7 May, to 1st Lt and Mrs George Vakalis, a son, George Malcolm.

WALLACE—Born at Ft Knox, Ky., 11 May, to Lt Col and Mrs Franklin R Wallace, a daughter, Leslie Ann.

WALLER—Born at Maxwell AFB, Ala., 8 May, to 1st Lt and Mrs Bogue M Waller, a daughter, Randall Statler.

WASHINGTON—Born at Ft Knox, Ky., 10 May, to WOJG and Mrs W James Washington, a daughter, Jacklyn Jeann.

WELLBORN—Born at Ft Belvoir, Va., 13 May, to Capt and Mrs Carlos Juan Wellborn, a son.

WINTERBOTTOM—Born at Ft Sill, Okla., 7 May, to Maj and Mrs F W Winterbottom, a daughter.

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WOLFSKILL—Born at Ft Sill, Okla., 8 May, to Lt and Mrs L A Wolfskill, a daughter.

YORK—Born at Rodriguez AH, Ft Brooke, PR, 15 May, to Capt and Mrs Frank E York, a son, Scott Everett.

ZELECHOSKY—Born at Fitzsimons AH, Denver, 9 May, to Capt and Mrs Henry T Zelechosky, a son.

Married

COON-GETTYS—Married on 15 May, Miss Margaret Lea Gettys, daughter of Col and Mrs Charles Wesley Gettys, to Capt John Ellis Coon, son of Mrs Marjorie Coon.

CORNOG-HUSE—Married on 15 May, Miss Joan Rockwell Huse, daughter of Mrs Robert Huse, of Chevy Chase, Md., to Lt(jg) John Laurence Cornog, Jr., USN, son of Mr and Mrs Cornog, of Swarthmore, Pa.

EWERS-GORMAN—Married in St Paul's Roman Catholic Church, Princeton, NJ, 15 May, Miss Patricia Ann Gorman, daughter of Mr and Mrs John P Gorman, of Princeton, to Lt(jg) Bert Holloway Ewers, USNR, son of Mr and Mrs C Hanson Ewers, of Niles, Ohio.

HILDRETH-CUNKLE—Married in the Post Chapel, Ft Myer, Va., 15 May, Miss Marcia Elizabeth Cunkle, daughter of Col and Mrs Austin Curtis Cunkle, to Mr David Melvin Hildreth, son of Mr and Mrs Melvin Hildreth.

LAONDE-JOHNSON—Married in the US Naval Academy Chapel, Annapolis, Md., daughter of Mr and Mrs Thew Delbert Johnson, to Ens William Fowler La Londe, son of Mr and Mrs Royal La Londe, of Clayton, NY.

MCINTYRE-GRENATA—Married at Ft Belvoir, Va., 15 May, Miss Michaela Grenata, daughter of Col Michael C Grenata, USA-Ret, and Mrs Grenata, to Capt Kenneth Edwin McIntyre, USA, son of Mr and Mrs Edwin Harrington McIntyre, of Randolph, VT.

RICHARDSON-RABORN—Married in Perkins Chapel, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Tex., 17 May, Miss Priscilla Raborn, daughter of Capt and Mrs William F Raborn, of San Diego, to Mr Edward Earl Richardson, a son of Mrs C C Richardson, of Kerrville, Tex., and the late Mr Richardson.

TARTAGLINO-OLLINGER—Married in the Church of St Joan of Arc, Jackson Heights, LI, NY, 15 May, Miss Marie Margaret Ollinger, daughter of Mr and Mrs George Phillip Ollinger, of Jackson Heights, to Ens Eugene Joseph Tartaglino, USNR, son of Dr and Mrs Alfred M Tartaglino, of Newport, RI.

VOGEN-NIX—Married at Andrews AFB, Washington, DC, 8 May, Miss Mary Kate Nix, daughter of Col and Mrs William Elgin Nix, to A/1C Paul Vogen.

ALTHOUSE—Died at the Naval Hosp, Bethesda, Md., 17 May, Capt Adelbert Althouse, USN, former Governor of Guam. Surviving is his widow, Mrs Lucy Drake Althouse, of 1621 Crescent Place, NW, Washington, DC. Burial was in the Arlington National Cemetery.

ASCHERFELD—Died at the Naval Hosp, Bethesda, Md., 15 May, Capt Theodore F Ascherfeld, USN-Ret. Surviving are his widow, Mrs Mary Ascherfeld, three sons, Theodore F, Jr., William Ray and Robert, his stepmother, Mrs L H Ascherfeld, a sister, Blanche Cramer, and a brother, Arnold Ascherfeld.

ECHOLS—Died in St John's Hosp, Santa Monica, Calif., 15 May, Maj Gen Oliver P Echols, USAF-Ret, chairman of the board and chief executive of the Northrop Aircraft Corp. Surviving are his widow, Mrs Margaret Bailey Echols, of Los Angeles, a daughter, Mrs Mary Echols Simpson, of Ft Benning, Ga.; five brothers, a sister and two grandchildren. Burial was in the Arlington National Cemetery.

JORDAN—Died in USAH, Ft Lee, Va., 16 May, Mrs Jean Cherry Jordan, wife of Col Lewis P. Jordan, of Ft Lee. Surviving, in addition to her husband, are four daughters, Mrs Thomas J Anthony, of Los Angeles; Miss Ann Cherry Jordan, Miss Helen Jean Jordan, and Miss Lillian Peyton Jordan, all of Ft Lee; one brother, Mr James R Cherry, of New York, and two grandchildren. Burial was in the Arlington National Cemetery.

KEEFER—Died at Walter Reed AH, Washington, DC, 15 May, Brig Gen Frank Royer Keefer, USA-Ret, Asst Surgeon General of the Army at the time of his retirement. He is survived by his widow, Mrs Cornelius Terrell Keefer, a sister, Caroline Keefer, a grandniece, Mrs George W Power, a nephew,

Col Frederick R Terrell, and several other nieces and nephews. Burial was in the Arlington National Cemetery.

MCINTYRE—Died suddenly in her apartment in New York City, 14 Apr., Mrs Agnes McIntyre. She was the widow of Col Samuel B McIntyre, USA. She is survived by her brother-in-law, Brig Gen A McIntyre, USA-Ret, of San Antonio, Tex.

STAPLES—Died in Seattle, Wash., 14 May, Maj Chester Caldwell Staples, USA-Ret, of 611 W Galer St, Seattle. Surviving are his widow, Mrs Doris Staples, and a brother, Ernest Staples, of San Francisco. Burial will be in the Ft Lawton, Wash., Cemetery.

Obituaries

Maj. Gen. Oliver P. Echols, USAF-Ret.

Maj. Gen. Oliver P. Echols, USAF-Ret., a native of Charlottesville, Va., died on 15 May. He was 62.

Appointed a 2d lieutenant of the Field Artillery in the Regular Army on 30 Nov. 1916, he was assigned to the Seventh Field Artillery at Ft. Leavenworth, Kans. He sailed for France with the A.E.F. in July 1917, and transferred to the First Aero Squadron in Nov. of that year as an aerial observer and participated in the Chateau-Thierry, St. Mihiel, and Meuse-Argonne engagements.

During WWII, General Echols was chief of the Internal Affairs Division, Supreme Headquarters, Allied Expeditionary Force, and later served as Deputy Commanding General, Office of Military Government for Germany.

General Echols returned to Army Air Force Headquarters on 15 Mar. 1946 and joined the War Department Special Staff as chief of the Civil Affairs Division. He retired from active duty on 28 Feb. 1947.

Awarded the Distinguished Service Medal and the Purple Heart, he was rated a command pilot, combat observer, and aircraft observer.

He is survived by his wife, Margaret Bailey Echols, Los Angeles, Cal.; a daughter, Mrs. Mary Echols Simpson, Ft. Benning, Ga.; two granddaughters; a sister, Jane J. Echols, Charlottesville, Va.; and five brothers, A. B. Echols, Wilmington, Del., George B. Echols, Richmond, Va., Col. Marion P. Echols; G. Harrison Echols, Charlottesville, Va.; and Robert L. Echols, Oak Ridge, Tenn.

Private services were held at St. Albans Episcopal Church, Washington, D. C. He was buried in Arlington Cemetery.

Brig. Gen. Frank R. Keefer, USA-Ret.

Brig. Gen. Frank R. Keefer, USA-Ret., died on 15 May at Walter Reed Army Medical Center, Washington, D. C., after a prolonged illness. He was 89.

He was born in Venango County, Pa., the son of Maj. John B. Keefer, USA, and Caroline Royer Keefer. General Keefer was the great grandson of Frederick Keefer, who was a drummer and sergeant, Pennsylvania Line, during the Revolutionary War.

A graduate of Dickenson College and the University of Pennsylvania, he entered the Medical Department, USA, as a 1st Lt. and Assistant Surgeon in 1890. Advanced through the ranks, he retired October 1929 as Assistant Surgeon General of the Army, after a career of almost 40 years.

General Keefer saw service in 12 states as well as Alaska, Hawaii, the Philippines, and Germany.

During the war with Spain and the Philippine Insurrection, he commanded the Ambulance Company, 2d Division, VIII Corps in operations during the assault on Manila.

He was Chief of the Medical Division in the Office of the Provost Marshal General of Germany during WWI. After the war, General Keefer served during the occupation as Chief Surgeon, American Forces in Germany from September 1920 to June 1922.

General Keefer was the author of two books, "Alcohol and Other Narcotics," and "Military Hygiene and Sanitation," which were used as texts at the U. S. Military Academy.

He won the Legion d'Honneur Francaise and various medals for service in the war with Spain, the Philippine Insurrection, and WWI.

General Keefer is survived by his widow, the former Mary Cornelius Terrell, of San Antonio, Tex., now residing at 2800 Woodley Road, N. W., Washington, D. C., and a sister, Miss Caroline Keefer of Camp Hill, Pa.

Brig. Gen. George Oscar Cress, USA-Ret.

Brig. Gen. George Oscar Cress, USA-Ret., died at the Oak Knoll Naval Hospital, Oakland, Calif., on 8 May.

A native of Warsaw, Ill., General Cress,

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entered the U. S. Military Academy in 1880 as the youngest cadet of his class. Upon graduation in 1884 he was assigned to the 7th Cavalry, Custer's Regiment, and was stationed in the Dakotas.

He married Dora Dean of Ironton, Ohio, in 1886, and he and his bride drove overland in a phaeton, following troops through the Bad Lands, to Ft. Meade, N. Dak., where he was then stationed.

In 1899 he was in command of the U. S. Tahoma, a sailing vessel, transporting horses to the Philippines during the Insurrection. He was Inspector General on General Pershing's Staff in 1916, and in 1918 organized a Cavalry Regiment for World War I, prior to his promotion to Brigadier General.

As Commandant of the U. S. Military Prison at Ft. Leavenworth, Kans., he received special recognition by the U. S. Association of Prisons Congress for his success in the welfare of the prisoners.

After his retirement from active service in 1924, he and his family lived on the campus of Mills College, Oakland, Calif.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Dora Dean Cress, his daughter, Cornelia Cress, and his son, Maj. Gen. James B. Cress, USA-Ret., of Palo Alto, Calif.

Col. Donald I. Stanton, MC, USA-Ret.

Col. Donald I. Stanton, 64, MC, USA-Ret., died 9 May at the family residence, Palma Sola Park, Bradenton, Fla.

Colonel Stanton, a veteran of more than 31 years in the Army, was Surgeon of the V Corps at the time of his retirement at Ft. Bragg, N. C., in 1949. He came to Bradenton with his family shortly after retirement. A native of Central New York, Colonel Stanton was commissioned in the Army Medical Corps in 1917 and served continuously, except for one year, until his retirement.

He served one year with the 33d Division in France during WW I and was decorated with the Silver Star Medal for gallantry in action. During WW II he was Section Surgeon of the Trinidad Section and Base Command for 13 months, and upon his return to the States was Surgeon at Ft. Devens, Mass.

He is survived by his widow, Grace Herriott S., three daughters, Charlotte, Grace, and Ann, all at home, and one son, Donald, Jr., a student at the Florida Southern College.

Funeral services were held at Arlington National Cemetery.

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Assignment Changes**Commander**

Aschenbach, Andrew A (R), OCMI, Mobile, Ala, to OCMI, Pittsburgh, Pa. Rept on or about 1 July. Brown, Robert J, OCMI, Tampa, Fla, to OCMI, Seattle, Wash. Reldet, delrep 20. Callis, Herbert E (R), OCMI, Tampa, Fla, to OCMI, Cincinnati, Ohio. Rept on or about 1 July. Corfield, William T, OCMI, Baltimore, Md, to OCMI, Tampa, Fla (OinC). Rept on or about 1 July. Glaze, Elbert (R), OCMI, Corpus Christi, Tex, to OCMI, New Orleans, La. Rept on or about 1 July. Laird, Edward W, CGDFive, to CGDFourteen (Chof, Clv Eng Sect). Rept on or about 15 August. Sawtelle, Egerton B, CGDOne, to CGDThree (Astd dcr). Reldet, delrep 15. Winstead, Claude G, Sebago, to Northern Inspector. Reldet on or about 16 June, delrep 25.

Lieutenant Commander

Anderson, Gustav E, OCMI, Seattle, Wash, to OCMI, New York, NY. Rept on or about 1 July. Booze, James W, PSU, Ellis Island, NY, to CGDThree (Eng duty), amended to CG Base, Galveston, Tex (EO). Rept by 1 June. Cullen, Joseph L C (R), OCMI, Cincinnati, Ohio, to OCMI, Tampa, Fla. Rept on or about 1 July. Henderson, Edward H, Barataria, to Home. Hendrickson, Harold T, HQ, to NAVAD UNIT, MIT, Cambridge, Mass (duins). Rept 8 June. Ilacqua, Joseph J (R), OCMI, St Louis, Mo, to OCMI, Portland, Me, canceled. MacLane, Gordon H, Matagorda, to CGDOne (dca). Reldet. Tibbits, Lewis W, Newell, to CGDTwelve amended, to HQ (EEE). Rept by 1 July. Welton, Richard H, OCMI, New York, NY, to Mackinac (XO). Dirdet.

Lieutenant

Boyle, Edward P, OCMI, New York, NY, to HQ (MMT). Rept on or about 1 July. Brittan, Francis L, HQ, to OCMI, San Francisco, Calif. Rept on or about 1 July. Crowley, John D, Academy, to NAVADUNIT MIT, Cambridge, Mass (duins). Rept 8 June. Donaldson, William G, III, CGLorSta, Hawaii, to HQ (O). Reldet, delrep 30. Donohoe, Louis N, CGAirDet, Guam, MI, to CGAS, Miami, Fla, amended to CGAirDet, Biloxi, Miss. Lentner, Russell W, CGAS, Salem, Mass, to CGAirDet, Quonset Pt, RI (difot). Rept 15 May. Perkins, David E, Matagorda (line), to Matagorda (XO). Herdet. Smith, Harrison B, Coos Bay, to Academy (Eng Dept). Rept by 28 May.

Lieutenant (jg)

Bell, Henry H, Bibb, to NAVADUNIT, MIT, Cambridge, Mass (duins). Rept 8 June. Duddle, Harry E, CGAS, Elizabeth City, NC, to Home. Gilbeau, Robert C, Yocona, to Home. Kibler, Lynden U, CKLorSta, Iwo Jima, to PSU, Boston, Mass, amended to NAVAD UNIT, MIT, Cambridge, Mass (duins). (Continued on next Page)

U. S. COAST GUARDSecretary of The Treasury—George M. Humphrey
Commandant—Vice Adm. Merlin O'Neill

As of 1 Aug. 1954, sea duty requirements for promotion will go into effect for Coast Guard and second and first class petty officers.

Coast Guard Headquarters said action will be taken by the Commandant in regard to personnel whose names are on eligibility lists or whose reports of examination are on file on that date in accordance with the following policy:

FROM FIRST CLASS PETTY OFFICER TO CHIEF PETTY OFFICER—

Those who are on eligibility lists for advancement to chief petty officer on 31 July 1954 will not be removed from the list for lack of sea duty qualifications. After 1 Aug. 1954, however, those on the eligibility list will not be promoted until sea duty requirements have been fulfilled in all respects.

If an opportunity for an individual's advancement arises before the time he has fulfilled the sea duty requirements, his name will be passed over and the next man qualified in all respects will be advanced. A man who has been passed over for advancement will remain on the current eligibility list but will not be considered for future advancement until he has met the sea duty requirements.

FROM SECOND CLASS TO FIRST CLASS PETTY OFFICER—

Those on eligibility lists for advancement to first class petty officer or whose report of examination is on file at Headquarters as of 31 July 1954 will be given the same consideration as the chief petty officer candidates, with the following exception: When a man's name is reached for advancement and he does not have the required amount of sea duty, his name will be removed from the list and his report for examination will be returned to his current duty station with instructions for resubmission when the sea duty requirements are met.

This does not mean, Headquarters said, that a man in this category must be fully examined again. The old report of examination may again be submitted with the addition of sea duty qualifications. Headquarters points out, however, that taking into consideration the additional service, knowledge, and practical experience gained, it is reasonable to expect that in some cases a man might benefit from a reexamination.

The Coast Guard said that all reports of examinations received at Headquarters dated 1 Aug. 1954, or later, must indicate the amount of sea duty that the man has to his credit. Unless this minimum requirement is met, reports of examinations should not be forwarded to the Commandant (PE). Headquarters further stated that recommendations for participation in future chief petty officer examinations, after 1 Aug. 1954, should not be made unless sea duty requirements are fulfilled.

Personnel Circular No. 8-53, which reestablishes the policy, defines sea duty as duty aboard an operating commissioned vessel to which an individual is permanently attached.

Sea duty which has accrued to an individual in previous Naval and Naval Reserve enlistments (active duty) may be counted if enlistment in the Coast Guard was within 90 days of discharge from active duty in the Navy. Such a claim must be supported by documentary proof, the Coast Guard said.

The required sea duty must have been

performed during the present period of continuous service either in the Coast Guard or the Navy in the appropriate rating.

Sea duty does not include foreign shore duty and/or isolated foreign shore duty nor shore duty of any type.

Cadet Cruise

The annual Cadet practice cruise of the cadets of the U. S. Coast Guard Academy, New London, Conn., will begin on 31 May.

Under the command of Capt. C. G. Bowman, USCG, Cadet Practice Squadron Commander and Commanding Officer of the CG Cutter Eagle, a 295-foot auxiliary powered barque, the cadets are scheduled to arrive at Santander, Spain, on 21 June.

Capt. Karl O. A. Zittel, USCG, is Deputy Commander.

Some of the Cadets will be aboard the CG Cutter Rockaway, a 311-foot seaplane-tender class, under the command of Cdr. C. I. Steele, USCG.

The two ships will leave Santander on 25 June and are scheduled to arrive at Amsterdam, Netherlands, on 2 July.

Leaving Amsterdam on 7 July, the cruise will proceed to Copenhagen, Denmark. From Copenhagen the two vessels will leave for home on 19 July, and are expected to reach New London on 14 August.

The compliment of the cruise will include 30 officers, 250 cadets, and 150 enlisted men.

Permanent Appointments

For the first time in a year, a significant number of officers have been nominated to become Regular members of the Coast Guard.

The last officers were made permanent on 26 May 1953, when 45 officers were confirmed by the Senate to serve in a Regular status.

The new group of officers, awaiting confirmation by the Senate, is comprised of three captains, 38 commanders, 44 lieutenant commanders, 55 lieutenants, and 91 lieutenants (jg), making a total of 231.

At present, there are slightly over 1,600 Regular officers serving in the Coast Guard, exclusive of ensigns and warrant officers.

At the same time, President Eisenhower nominated 244 warrant officers for Regular appointment.

Announce Retirements

The Coast Guard has announced that the following officers have been placed on the retirement list because of physical disability:

White, Cdr Justus P (70%)

Eubanks, Lt Carl L (30%)

Harris, Lt(jg) Robert E (40%)

Cochrane, LCdr William S (40%)

Metzler, Lt(jg) Theodore P (100% temp)

The following officers were retired after 30 years' service:

Harwood, RAdm C W O'Hagan, LCdr J E Buchar, LCdr R J Stewart, LCdr A A Coiteux, Capt John R, was retired because of age.

Smith, LCdr Gregory E, was retired after 20 years' service.

Carlson, LCdr Oscar E, was transferred from the temporary physical disability retired list to the permanent list.

Name Ensigns

The Senate has confirmed the names of 91 Coast Guard cadets to be ensigns in the USCG. They are:

Bacon, Robert B Benson, Robert C

RAdm. Studds Renamed; Heads Coast Survey

RAdm. Robert F. A. Studds, has been sworn in for a new four-year term as Director of the Coast and Geodetic Survey.

A graduate of the Catholic University of America, he entered military service at the start of WWI, serving with the 42nd Engineers, USA, until 1919. In the same year, he entered the Commissioned service of the Coast and Geodetic Survey where he rose through the ranks to his present position.

Admiral Studds made the first hydrographic survey along the north coast of Luzon in the Philippines and initiated the first comprehensive surveys of important commercial areas in Bristol Bay and the Bering Sea, Alaska.

Under his leadership, the charting of the Gulf Intracoastal Waterway has been completed and a new series of aeronautical charts has been developed for use with the high frequency omnirange navigational system. In cooperation with the Naval Ordnance Laboratory, an airborne magnetometer was developed which has opened the possibilities of magnetic surveys of ocean areas and regions inaccessible by ordinary magnetic methods. Survey operations have been extended in the interior of Alaska and in the waters north of the Alaskan Peninsula.

He was elected President of the American Congress of Surveying and Mapping in 1953 and is a member of many engineering, geophysical and research organizations.

Admiral and Mrs. Studds, and their three children live at 5508 Center Street, Chevy Chase, Md.

Col. Fowler, Army Info.

Dep. Will Retire 31 May

Col. David M. Fowler, Army Deputy Chief of Information, will be honored at a retirement ceremony 24 May at Ft. Myer, Va., and will end his 36-year military career on 31 May.

Troops of the Third "Old Guard" Infantry Regiment, commanded by Col. Dennis M. Moore, and the U. S. Army Band, led by Maj. Hugh Curry, will render the farewell salute to Colonel Fowler.

Colonel Fowler served as Chief of the Liaison Branch and later as Executive Officer of the Office of the Chief of Information prior to being assigned to his present position in December 1953. From January 1948 to August 1950, he was Chief of the European Command's Public Information Division at Frankfurt and later Heidelberg, Germany.

During WW II, Colonel Fowler led the first Army unit to cross the Po River in pursuit of the German Army to the Alps. He commanded the 87th Mountain Infantry Regiment, 10th Mountain Division, which fought in the Northern Apennines and Po Valley campaigns in Italy.

Navy Seeks "Jonah Jaybird" Eligibles

Some 300 "Jonah's Jaybird" certificates are being held in the Office of Information, Navy Department.

The current addresses of those eligible for the unique awards are not known to the Navy Department. They commemorate the rescue of Navy, Marine and Army Air Corps personnel by submarines off the coast of Japan during WWII.

Individually prepared and suitable for framing, the certificates are signed by VAdm. Charles A. Lockwood, USN, Pacific wartime commander.

The Submarine Lifeguard League in cooperation with Army and Navy aircraft rescued 504 American flyers from enemy waters and beaches in some of the most dangerous operations of the war.

Any veteran who believes himself eligible for the award should write to the Chief of Information, Navy Department, Washington 25, D. C., giving his name, rank at the time of the rescue, the unit to which he was attached, the approximate date of the rescue, and the name of the submarine. The certificates, which were prepared by the submariners, will be forwarded without charge.

Please send in notice of your change of address promptly.

SAC SETS RACE

Sports cars will return to Offutt AFB, Nebr., runways and taxistrips on Sunday, 4 July, when the second annual National Sports Car Races are staged at SAC headquarters, according to Col. W. L. Gray, wing commander.

Many of the country's outstanding amateur drivers are expected to compete in the Offutt races which last year drew a crowd of some 60,000 thrill-seeking fans.

Profit-wise the 1953 Offutt races were the most successful of any ever run on a military installation as net proceeds of \$56,537.90 were poured into the Enlisted Airmen's Living Improvement Fund.

Among the items purchased were: 1,584 bed spreads, 387 chests of drawers, 367 night stands, 75 desks, 180 floor lamps, 540 goose-neck lamps, 150 pairs of drapes, 46 cigarette stands, 10 lounge chairs, 195 arm chairs, five pool tables and five three-piece sectionals.

Cdr. Cutter Leaves Wash.; Goes to Staff Sub Force

Cdr. Slade D. Cutter, USN, who has been Director of the Navy's Public Information Division since July 1952, has been ordered to report on the Staff, Submarine Force, Atlantic Fleet, with headquarters at New London, Conn., on 12 July.

He will be relieved of his present duties by Capt. Frank G. Selby, USN, currently at the Industrial College of the Armed Forces, Washington, D. C.

Commander Cutter, well known to Washington newsmen, was Director of Special Services, Bureau of Naval Personnel from February 1951 until assigned to the Navy's Information Division.

Before that, he was Commander of Submarine Division 32.

A 1935 graduate of the U. S. Naval Academy, he was aboard the submarine USS Pompano during the early part of WWII. For services aboard the vessel, he was awarded a Silver Star Medal, a Bronze Star Medal and a Gold Star in lieu of a second Silver Star.

Coast Guard Orders

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Rept 8 June.

Klingensmith, David C. Mendota, to NAVAD UNIT, MIT, Cambridge, Mass (duins). Rept 8 June.

Kniseley, Burton W. Matagorda (Eng duty), to Matagorda (EO). Herdet.

Lutzl, Philip C. Rockaway, to NAVADUNIT, MIT, Cambridge, Mass (duins). Rept 8 June.

Nodell, William R. Sorrel, to NAVADUNIT, MIT, Cambridge, Mass (duins). Rept 8 June.

Reaume, Donald H. HQ, to OCMI, Seattle, Wash. Rept on or about 1 July.

Shrader, Joseph N. CGDOne, to Westwind. Rept by 31 May.

Wesler, John E. Rochester Univ, Rochester, NY (duins), to HQ (ECV), amended to HQ (ETD).

Ensign

Middlebrook, Bradley, II (R). Spencer, to CGDFive (under der). Rept by 11 May.

Pellikan, Robert G (R). Chautauqua, to Magnolia. (Temp made perm.)

Warrant Officer

DeVanney, George J. CGBase, St George, SI, NY, to CGDTwo (furans afloat). Reletp 20.

Wilson, Merle S. PSU, Pier 9, East River, NY, to CGDTwo (furans afloat), canceled. Grant, Alexander M. Papaw, to Minnetonka (Eng duty). Reletp delrep 20.

Harris, Henry J. Sorrel, to Cactus (EO). Reletp, delrep 10.

Reichert, George. Planetree, to Nettle (EO). Herdet, delrep 10.

Singleton, Roy L. Castle Rock, to Sorrel (Eng duty). Rept CGDThirteen by 15 June.

Wilson, Irvin, CGBase, S Portland, Me. to Evergreen (Eng duty). Rept by 1 June.

Young, Russell M. Evergreen, to CGBase, S Portland, Me (Eng duty). Reletp, delrep 20.

Amon, Ralph H. CGDFourteen, to HQ (EEE). Rept by 15 August.

Cornelius, Milo A. CGDThree, to CGDOne (Elec Eng Sect). Rept by 10 June.

Folan, Matthew P. CGDOne, to CGTaraSta, Groton, Conn. Rept by 10 July.

Regan, Philip L. Walnut (Eng duty), to Walnut (EO). Herdet.

Deaths

Jones, VAdm Edward D. USCG (Ret), died 6 May 1954.

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RAdm. Hartman Tells Destroyer Force Role

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commanded by RAdm. S. R. Clark, USN, is based at Norfolk, Virginia.

The destroyer is now, more than ever, the "workhorse" of the Fleet, and is continually called upon for a variety of tasks. Designed primarily for anti-submarine and escort duty, destroyer type ships are expected to be—and are—proficient in surface gunnery and shore bombardment at ranges up to seven miles, anti-aircraft fire, torpedo attack, carrier plane guard, and other duties. Their many accomplishments result in their being employed as screening vessels for larger ships, convoy escorts, rescue vessels, submarine attack units, and other duties.

The "small boys" of the Fleet are present in almost every wartime operation, as the recently published "U. S. Destroyer Operations, World War II," will attest.

Types of Ships

As previously mentioned, the Atlantic Destroyer Force contains a number of ship types, with the majority being general purpose destroyers or DD's. (67 of these versatile ships attached to "DESLANT" participated in the Korean conflict.) Other ship types are: the radar picket destroyers, DDR's, with special equipment to allow them to operate as detached aircraft detection units; the escort destroyers, DDE's, with advanced anti-submarine armament; the destroyer leaders, DL's, designed for heavy duty fleet escort work; the escort vessels, DE's, lighter and slower than DD, but capable of transoceanic convoy work; and the radar picket escort vessels, DER's, the radar picket version of the DE. In addition, there are several experimental ships which are constantly being employed in evaluating the new operational and material developments of our navy. Lastly, and very important for repair and logistic services, are the 10 repair ships, the destroyer tenders, AD's. It is these "floating bases" which give our forces the mobility needed in wartime.

The destroyer squadron, normally composed of two divisions of four ships each, is the largest tactical unit within each flotilla. In the Atlantic Destroyer Force are also Escort Squadrons of the DDE, DE and DER type, each consisting of from six to eight ships.

The Force Commander retains administrative control of all his ships at all times, except for those temporarily assigned to the Pacific Fleet for duty in Korean waters. However, for other than basic training or for overhaul time, the ships are "farmed out" to operational commanders at sea. The Atlantic destroyers serve under many such operational commanders, and their activities encompass the world.

Overseas deployments

One of the two main overseas deployments is to the Sixth Fleet in the Mediterranean. The DD's and DDR's assigned to this duty on a rotational basis, form the screen for the carrier task force which covers the area. The other foreign

deployment is to the Seventh Fleet in the Far East. This duty assignment carries with it a seven month tour away from home port and a round-the-world cruise, the distance between Korea and the East Coast being about the same in either direction. Thus on any particular day you are liable to find Atlantic Fleet destroyers operating off Malta, transiting the Suez, visiting Singapore or standing ready off Sasebo. It was an Atlantic Fleet destroyer, the STEPHEN POTTER, that was trading shots with a shore battery in Wonsan when the Korean truce was signed.

In addition to the overseas deployments, the anti-submarine hunter-killer groups in the Atlantic continually require the services of a large group of destroyer type ships. Here their time is spent perfecting old and developing new techniques for combating the submarine menace.

There are always other destroyers employed in plane guard duties with the fast carriers, acting as reference and rescue ships during air operations; in providing shore fire control support for amphibious forces; in operational development work; in training officers and men in anti-submarine operations, and, in the summer, in cruising midshipmen.

Train At Guantanamo

In preparing for the various types of duty they are called upon to perform, the Atlantic destroyers still use Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, as a refresher training area. Here, where weather is no hindrance and every day can be used profitably in underwater training, ship's companies, ranging in size from 160 in the smaller to over 300 in the larger ships, get a workout in the fundamentals of the various wartime operations, and develop the gun crews and other teams into cohesive units. Upon completion of this training the destroyers return to their home bases, either Newport or Norfolk, and continue their training until they are required for their operational commitments.

The Atlantic Ocean is a hard task master and at times life can be tough for the Destroyer Force "small boys." They are still the proving ground for young commanding officers and the still younger ships' officers and crews. When the ship rolls 30 to 45 degrees several times a minute for days on end, and coffee and sandwiches are all that can be handled in the way of food, you have to be young to keep up the fighting proficiency of this capable ship. This has not been easy with the fluid officer and enlisted personnel situation. The performance of our "tin-can" sailors is something at which all service personnel can look with pride.

(The opinions or assertions contained herein are the private ones of the writer and are not to be construed as official or reflecting the views of the Navy Department or the naval service at large.—C. C. HARTMAN, Rear Admiral, U. S. Navy)

Comment on Foreign Affairs

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ping list identifies blandly as "hardware"; the shipment of a Swedish ship under British charter is from Stettin, the Polish-controlled Baltic port. As is so often the case with these gun-running affairs, there is no clearly illegal aspect; there is no embargo against Guatemala and there is no legal reason why Guatemala cannot buy or receive military equipment from any source. But the amount of goods involved (still not publicly listed) and the highly unofficial manner of the purchase, or acceptance, combine to make it likely that trouble is in the making for Guatemala's neighbors. It is this aspect which has aroused the State Department to consider invoking the Rio treaty of 1947. That agreement provides for consultation among the Inter-American states for "reciprocal assistance to meet armed attacks against any American state and in order to deal with threats of aggression against them." There are no armed attacks as yet, and the degree of threat is something still to be revealed. But when a man builds a large bonfire close to a neighbor's hay-barn it is inadvisable to wait for him to strike a match. In this case, quite apparently, there would be no warrant for purely American action; there is ample reason for the orderly process of inquiry by the Inter-American authorities, whose common view on Communist threats was made clear by the Caracas vote. The affair at Puerto Barrios provides with unexpected speed the evidence of Red intentions which Mr. Dulles charged at that meeting.

INDUSTRY * FINANCE



JET STRATO TANKER Prototype rolls from plant. The new Boeing Jet Stratotanker prototype is towed from the Renton, Wash., plant. Completed two months ahead of schedule, the four-jet, swept-wing tanker-transport prototype immediately will begin its ground test program preparatory to first flight. The plane is a demonstrator model and will be used in proving its capabilities both as a military tanker-transport and as a commercial airliner. As a military model, the Stratotanker will be capable of high-speed, high-altitude refueling of jet bombers, fighters and other combat aircraft, and will as well make possible high-speed world-wide transport of men and supplies. Wing span is 130 feet; length 128 feet, tail height 38 feet, 3 inches.

Survey Shows Military Auto Drivers Are Among Safest Anywhere In World

Top three graders and officers of the Armed Forces are among the safest drivers in the world, according to a survey issued by a leading insurance company.

The survey, issued by Government Services Insurance Underwriters, San Antonio, Tex., which specializes in military and government employee insurance reveals its policy holders lead 48 other occupational classification in driving safety.

Safe-driving practices of top three graders and officers insured by GSIU

helped produce the company's low loss ratio of 39.1 as against a 62.2 five year average of 35 leading companies writing auto insurance on the public.

This low accident rate will pay off in hard cash, according to Government Services which intends to pass on premium savings of up to one third this year.

GSIU writes automobile insurance in all of the states and territories of the U. S. and in Japan, Okinawa and the Philippines for first three graders, officers and government employees.

Gen. Christmas, USA-Ret. Joins Steel Firm Office

President Rudolph Eberstadt, of Barium Steel Corporation, has announced that Maj. Gen. John K. Christmas, USA-Ret., has been appointed as a Special Consultant to Barium and its 16 subsidiaries. General Christmas will be located at the Washington office of Barium Steel.

General Christmas retired from the Army 31 January after more than 36 years active service. Practically all of his Army career in Ordnance was devoted to the design, development and production of fighting tanks, including the WW II Sherman medium tank, and other mechanized weapons.

His many contributions to the mechanization of the Army was recognized by Lafayette College which awarded him an Honorary Degree of Doctor of Science for his leading part in the design and production of U. S. tanks and other armored combat vehicles.

At the time of his retirement, General Christmas was Chief of Procurement Division, Assistant Chief of Staff G-4.

Heavy Maintenance on R6Ds

TEMCO Aircraft Corporation, Dallas, Tex., has received a contract from the Navy Bureau of Aeronautics for progressive heavy maintenance on 33 R6D aircraft, Robert McCulloch, TEMCO president announced this week.

The new contract, McCulloch said, makes TEMCO the first company to hold simultaneous overhaul contracts for the three largest civilian airliner types now being used by the military. TEMCO now holds contracts from the Navy for progressive heavy maintenance on R7V aircraft, Navy version of the Lockheed Super Constellation; and from the Air Force for modification and reconditioning of C-97 aircraft, military counterparts of the Boeing Stratocruiser, the TEMCO president pointed out.

NDTA Honors Arthur Gass For Def. Transport Work

The National Defense Transportation Association has awarded a special "tribute of appreciation" to Arthur H. Gass, chairman of the Car Service Division of the Association of American Railroads, for his contributions to defense transportation during 1953.

E. Grosvenor Flownan, president of NDTA and vice president in charge of traffic for the United States Steel Corporation, made the presentation of the award. Also participating in the ceremony were William T. Faricy, AAR president, and Col. Francis W. Crary, USA-Ret., executive director of NDTA.

Mr. Gass was cited for his accomplishments during 1953, which included the drawing up, in cooperation with the Federal Civil Defense Administration, of a master plan for the handling of any emergency transportation requirements which might be brought about by some activity in this country.

During WWII, Mr. Gass served as manager of the AAF Military Transportation Section, working closely with all branches of the Service in directing the arrangement of transportation by rail of men and materiel for the Armed Forces.

Col. Cheever Announces Award

Col. Charles E. Cheever, USA-Ret., General Manager and Secretary-Treasurer of United Services Automobile Association, San Antonio, Tex., announced late this week the opening of bids and the award of the contract for work on the foundation of the new USAA building to be erected on the Southwest corner of Broadway and Hildebrand.

The building, when completed, will be a total of 9 stories, an additional story having been added since the plans were originally approved several months ago. Occupancy is set for late 1955.

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Northrop Elects President

Mr. Whitley C. Collins, prominent aircraft executive, was elected president and chief executive officer of Northrop Aircraft, Inc., on 12 May succeeding Gen. Oliver P. Echols, USAF-RET., who died 15 May. Mr. Collins' election took place at a meeting of the board at Northrop's general offices in Hawthorne, Calif. He has served as a director of Northrop since June 1952 and is president of the Radioplane Company of Van Nuys, Calif., a wholly-owned subsidiary of Northrop and producer of target airplanes for the Armed Services.

New Sperry Plant

A new \$600,000 facility for the development and production of electronic tubes will be built at Gainesville, Fla., this year, it was announced this week by The Sperry Corporation. Acting through its new Sperry Electronic Tube Division, the corporation has signed a six year lease on a plant to be built on a 47-acre tract three miles outside Gainesville in the vicinity of the Municipal Airport.

As its first product, the Sperry Electronic Tube Division will manufacture model SAL-39 Klystron tubes in quantity for use in a military air navigation system developed by the U. S. Navy.

Navy Unveils Sparrow I; New Air-To-Air Missile

The Navy is now training men to utilize its new air-to-air guided missile, the Sparrow I.

The Sparrow, developed by the Bureau of Aeronautics and the Sperry Gyroscope Co., is rocket powered and fully maneuverable at supersonic speeds. Light and compact, it can carry in multiple units and launched from fighter-type jet aircraft.

The Navy said that more than 100 prototype missiles were constructed and tested before the present model was placed in production. More than seven years have been spent in the development of the weapon.

A special Navy facility, the Sperry Farragut Corporation, Bristol, Tenn., is producing the Sparrow I and has begun scheduled deliveries.

Aircraft, ship, and shore Navy personnel are being trained for operational use of the missile by carrier-based aircraft both in the Atlantic and the Pacific.

Former Navy Pilot Joins Northrop As Test Pilot

James F. Holliman, who flew ground support missions in Korea from the aircraft carrier Bon Homme Richard, has joined Northrop Aircraft, Inc., of Hawthorne, Calif., as a production test pilot, it was announced by Max Stanley, director of the Northrop Flight Department.

Mr. Holliman's activities will be centered at Northrop's guided missile facility located at Patrick AFB, Fla., Mr. Stanley said.

Mr. Holliman logged 1200 jet hours, and a total of 2500 flying hours, while serving with the U. S. Navy from 1943 to 1953. He was commissioned at Pensacola in 1946 and separated from the service with the rank of lieutenant last year. He received three air medals for his Korea missions flown in F9F Panther jets.

Prior to joining Northrop, Mr. Holliman spent several months at Marquardt Aircraft Company in Van Nuys, Calif., as an engineer, following his separation from the Navy.

Mr. Holliman is a native of Rockdale, Tex. He is married and has three children.

Maj. Dann Heads Hosp.

William J. Dann, manager of the Veterans Administration Hospital at Oakland, Calif., has been appointed manager of the 1,252-bed general medical and surgical hospital which will open this fall in New York City.

Mr. Dann served during WWII as a Major in the Army Medical Corps. After separation from the service in 1946, he was appointed an administrative officer at the VA branch office in Dallas, Tex.

New 4-in-1 GCA Radar Developed for Services

Development of a new four-in-one GCA radar has been announced by Gilfillan Brothers, Inc., Los Angeles.

This new GCA Quadraradar retains all the advantages and accuracy of the surveillance radar and precision approach GCA radar plus the important addition of two more radars, height and airport taxi control.

Single function sets intended to furnish only the surveillance radar or the precision approach radar have been available in the past, but never before have the two features been combined company officers said. The other two features, the height finding and airport taxi control, also have been available as separate equipments in the past, but the cost has made them prohibitive for general aviation use, it was stated.

The set weighs 1800 pounds, compared to the 22-ton original GCA of 10 years ago. Operating in the X-band frequency to achieve increased accuracy and high definition, both antennas of the set are designed with circular polarization grids which eliminate interference by heavy rain and snow.

The operator sits before the single 12-inch Quadraradar scope which, at the turn of a switch, displays the desired radar function. The scope can be "off-centered" and the operator can select any range from 5 miles to 40 miles.

The low cost of the equipment, \$37,000, will enable radar air traffic control to be provided for the first time at small and intermediate airports as well as at major air terminals.

Because of its light weight and compactness, the new GCA Quadraradar can be transported to advance emergency military strips by helicopters, by trucks at air bases, or installed in a permanent building at a civil airport.

Navy Builds LCU's in Sections

The Navy is now building LCU's in three sections for easy loading aboard ship.

The Landing Craft, utility, when joined, is 115 feet long, has a beam of 34 feet and is powered by three 225 h.p. engines.

Each of the sections is watertight and can float independently. This permits assembly of the entire craft in the water if necessary. Only six men are needed to break the craft down into its three sections. Each section is flanged for bolting together with a rubber gasket providing a seal between them.

Fuel oil tanks and fresh water tanks are located in the center section of the vessel. The only pipes to be disconnected or connected are those which run to the engines, an auxiliary water pump and a fresh water heater.

The LCU is armed with two 20mm guns, one on each side of the pilot house. Its top load is 180 tons.

Sub-Building Firm Wins Tender Overhaul Award

A contract for a regular five-year overhaul of the submarine tender USS Anthonon has been awarded to the Electric Boat Division of General Dynamics Corporation. The \$250,000 project marks the first time the Groton, Conn., firm has handled a major overhaul on a vessel this size.

The tender is 550 feet long with a 70 foot beam and a displacement of 12,000 tons. A veteran of the Pacific war, the Anthonon has been laid up in "mothball" reserve at the New London Submarine Base as a unit of the New London group of the Atlantic Reserve Fleet since her decommissioning in 1946.

Named Sales Coordinator

Appointment of Emery M. "Jock" Ellingson, formerly West Coast regional manager and director of operations for the Air Transport Association, as sales coordinator for airline customers of Al Research Manufacturing Company, a division of the Garrett Corporation, has been announced by W. J. Pattison, Al Research's director of sales and service.

A former airlines pilot, Mr. Ellingson during WWII was director of maintenance and engineering for the Air Transport Command in Europe.

Lt. Col. Harvey Pistol Winner

First place in the Georgia State Pistol Championship was won 16 May by Lt. Col. Chester T. Harvey, Army Field Forces Board Number Three at Ft. Benning, Ga.

Colonel Harvey, scoring a aggregate total of 1979 points, edged out Dr. Guy C. Davis who fired 1972 to win second place.

In the team matches, Ft. Benning placed first and Ft. McPherson, second. Grand Aggregate winners were Lt. Davis Miller, Ft. Benning, first place, and Capt. L. E. Enterkin, Team Captain for Ft. McPherson, second place.

Shoot Scenes At MacDill

Paul Mantz, noted stunt flyer who is in charge of photography and is acting as director of part of the motion picture, "Strategic Air Command," recently spent several weeks at MacDill AFB, Fla., in connection with the film.

While at MacDill, Mr. Mantz handled all the aerial shots needed for the movie. These shots included air-to-air refueling, take-offs and landings, general aerial shots and a dry run of a mock bombing raid.

Mr. Mantz, who has been in the motion picture field for 25 years, holds many

airplane speed and endurance records. He won the Bendix Speedway Race for three consecutive years, the only pilot ever to accomplish this feat.

Col. Wheeler Joins Board

Col. Lester L. Wheeler, has been assigned to the Analysis and Control Department of the Army Field Forces Board No. 3 at Ft. Benning, Ga.

He came to Fort Benning from Korea where he served with the 5th Regimental Combat Team and as chief of operations of the Eighth Army Staff.

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Heads Seventh Army Artillery

Brig. Gen. William W. Dick, Jr., has been named Seventh Army Artillery Officer in Germany. He succeeds Brig. Gen. Raleigh R. Hendrix, who departed for the U. S. recently.

General Dick was assigned as division artillery commander of the 31st Infantry Division in the U. S. prior to coming to Seventh Army.

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erans, provided with adequate training facilities and equipment and given increased drill pay incentive.

These men with upwards of 21 months' active service rapidly lose their military sharpness unless actively affiliated with Reserve and National Guard units. It will take increased expenditures of money, therefore, to augment legislative changes in assuring maximum Reserve Force effectiveness.

So, the reasoning in Washington on the Reserve Force situation, when it is made public, will be:

1. U.M.T.—not at this time.
2. Compulsory Reserve duty—essential.

ON THE MILITARY PAY FRONT
"Congress has dragged its heels," according to an editorial in the Nashville Banner. Inserted in the Congressional Record by Representative Yorty (D-Calif.), the editorial charges that Congress "has whittled away the inducements—or perpetuated circumstances of handicap which in the aggregate combine to discourage the military career either for officers or enlisted men. For one thing, while bestowing raise after raise on civilian personnel, Congress has dragged its heels on comparable benefits

in the armed services. It even has curtailed such fringe benefits as in the past have compensated the service man and his family on posts far from home."

SIXTEEN HUNDRED DOLLARS toward the purchase of an automobile would be paid to active duty Service personnel who have lost the use of one or both of their feet or hands, or who have suffered certain permanent impairment of vision, under the terms of a bill introduced by Representative Rogers (R-Mass.). Such assistance currently is available to veterans and Mrs. Rogers' bill (HR 9171) would extend it to those still on active duty whose disabilities were incurred or aggravated in line of duty while in uniform.

DRAFT DEFERMENT for men who join Reserve units before they are 18½ and before they receive orders to report for induction is provided in a bill introduced by Representative Johnson (R-Calif.). Such men would be deferred from training and service so long as they continue to serve satisfactorily as a member of an organized Reserve unit which the Secretary of Defense (or the Secretary of the Treasury, in the case of the Coast Guard) determines cannot otherwise be maintained.

SIX MONTHS' DEATH GRATUITY for any qualified person who "last stood in loco parentis" to an officer or enlisted man who dies in the Armed Forces is authorized by HR 1426, favorably reported by the House Armed Services Committee. At present such payments go only to the widow, child or designated dependent relative (or, if no such survivor, the gratuity may be paid to a grandchild, parent, brother, sister or grandparent who was dependent upon the decedent before his death).

30 SETS OF BINOCULARS loaned to the Navy during WWII will be forever lost to their owners under the terms of a measure approved by the Senate this week. The Navy has "made every effort to contact those people" who loaned the binoculars, the Armed Services Committee reported, but the owners "cannot be located." As a consequence, since it is an administrative burden to continue to keep the binoculars on hand and attempt to locate their owners, the U. S. will no longer be obligated to return, replace or pay for the binoculars in the event of any future claim.

A BILL TO INCREASE from \$10 to \$100 the monthly pension payable to honorably discharged holders of the Medal of Honor (over 65 years of age) was favorably reported by the House Veterans' Affairs Committee. The measure was opposed by Defense on the grounds that monetary value should not be ascribed to an act of heroism. The Committee said the pension "is fully warranted in view of the outstanding, unusual and distinguished service rendered to the Nation by each and every holder of the Congressional Medal of Honor."

Chaplain Deveaux Chosen Chaplain Board President

Army Chief of Chaplains (Maj. Gen.) Patrick J. Ryan, in his first major appointment since taking office on 1 May, has named Chaplain (Col.) John A. DeVeaux of the African Methodist Episcopal Church as president of The Chaplain Board at Ft. Slocum, N. Y.

Operating under Chaplain Ryan, the Board studies programs, special projects and other recommendations relative to the Army's program of religious activities and character development.

Chaplain DeVeaux has been a member of the board since November 1952 following service in Korea.

President Names Two JAG Col.'s for Stars

Two top Army JAG officers were named this week by President Eisenhower for temporary promotion to brigadier general. They are Colonels George W. Gardes and George W. Hickman, Jr.

Colonel Gardes first entered the Army as an enlisted man in 1922. He currently is serving as Deputy Judge Advocate General for Europe.

Colonel Hickman, a 1926 graduate of the Military Academy is Assistant Army Judge Advocate General for Procurement.

Col. Shields CofS At Gordon

Col. Paul A. Shields, formerly Camp Gordon, Ga., G-1 has been appointed Chief of Staff and deputy Post commander.

Col. Aubrey W. Akin, a newcomer to Camp Gordon, has been named Post G-1.

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QUESTION: Are Gilfillan deliveries on schedule?

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QUESTION: Can Gilfillan take on new projects at the present time?

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